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COUNTY BOARD IN BUSINESS SESSION

INVESTIGATION TO BE HELD OF MONTARA LIGHTING DISTRICT; WILL REMOVE DANGER SPOTS ON HALFMOON-SAN MATEO RD.

At Tuesday's meeting of the county board of supervisors a resolution introduced by Supervisor Thomas L. Hickey, calling for an investigation of the affairs of the Montara lighting district, was unanimously adopted. Numerous complaints have been received from property owners of the district over lighting conditions and satisfaction was expressed by many at the adoption of the resolution.

Tuesday's meeting was claims day and a large number of claims approved by the committee were passed on and ordered paid, the session lasting well into the afternoon before the business was completed.

By unanimous vote of the board, Supervisor Francis of the fourth road district was authorized to secure the equipment necessary and proceed with the removal of dangerous points in the San Mateo-Halfmoon Bay road. The equipment is now on the ground, having been used in the construction of the Skyline bouvevard. It is proposed to greatly improve the road from the point where the Skyline boulevard leaves it to the bottom of the mountan on the Halfmoon Bay side. Money will be provided from the general fund, the expense being too great for the road district fund.

Bonds to the amount of $15,000 of the Burlingame grammar school district were ordered sold on motion of Supervisor Hickey, seconded by Supervisor Brown. Bids will be opened December 3d. The bond issue was recently voted by Burlingame, only a portion of the issue being sold at that time.

Purchasing Agent E. H. Werder was instructed to investigate the installation of a cooling tower for water at the Community Hospital, at the request of Supervisor Rosalie M. Brown. He will report at the next meeting of the board, to be held November 19th.

WOMAN HAS BATTLE WITH NIGHT PROWLER

Mrs. A. Hester, who lives near Baden crossing, had an experience with a burglar Saturday evening which she will long remember. Returning to her home about 8 o'clock in the evening, she surprised a man at work rummaging through the house, apparently busy searching her belongings for anything he might steal.

It was dark in the house, and as Mrs. Hester attempted to turn on a light the man sprang upon her and struck her with a heavy weapon, probably either a club or the butt of a gun, cutting a gash in her head.

Mrs. Hester struggled with the man and finally reached the door. Her assailant then broke away and disappeared in the darkness. Attracted by her screams the neighbors ran to the house, several of them armed.

As quickly as possible a neighbor, Mrs. James Morris, phoned for the local police and Officer McGraw was soon on the ground. Although the officer with the assistance of the neighbors searched the neighborhood, nothing was seen of the burglar.

Though suffering from the shock of her experience, Mrs. Hester was not seriously injured by the blow on her head.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

From the files of The Enterprise of November 14, 1908.

Attorney James T. O'Keefe of Redwood City was in town on business Friday.

J. T. Casey and wife of Colma were among us Thursday. Casey was kept busy receiving congratulations on his election as supervisor.

J. J. McDonald, engineer at the W. P. Fuller plant, had a severe fall from a ladder Wednesday. He was badly shaken, but no bones were broken.

The result of the election in San Mateo county was as follows: For president, W. H. Taft; judge superior court, G. H. Buck; assemblyman, H. E. Holmquist; supervisor, first township, James T. Casey.

LOCAL MAN DIES WHEN TRAIN STRIKES AUTO

Gilbert Noremberg of This City Killed and Companion Injured at Crossing Near Leslie Salt Works.

Gilbert Noremberg of 228 California avenue, this city, is dead and Charles Martin of the same address is in the Mills Memorial Hospital at San Mateo badly injured as the result of a collision between an automobile in which the two were riding and a Southern Pacific engine at a crossing near the Leslie salt works south of San Mateo at an early hour Wednesday morning.

Both men were employees of the general construction department of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company. They were going to their work Wednesday morning, and apparently drove upon the track without seeing the train coming at a rapid rate only a short distance away. Before their car could get across the track it was struck and dragged along the right of way. The men were picked up and rushed to the Mills Memorial Hospital, but Noremberg was already dead. Martin had a broken arm and broken leg and severe bruises and lacerations.

The two men came to this city from Stockton only about three months ago and entered the employ of the P. G. and E. Noremberg was a young man in his early twenties.

A coroner's inquest was held at the S. Nieri Funeral Home Wednesday evening, where the locomotive engineer testified that the car in which the two were riding appeared upon the tracks so close in front of his engine that, although the applied his brakes, there was no chance to stop the heavy train before the crash.

Noremberg leaves a widow, Mrs. Gilbert Noremberg.

POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT MAY INSTALL FAST SERVICE

Regular air mail service between San Francisco and New York in thirty hours is the hope and aim of the postoffice department, according to an announcement from the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce Wednesday. The statement said that several weeks ago the Chamber had sent a telegram to President Coolidge urging the inauguration of daily mails between San Francisco and New York as a move that would be of great importance to business interests on the west coast. The following reply was received from Paul Henderson, second assistant postmaster-general:

"I really believe that if it is possible for this department to procure an appropriation of approximately $3,000,000 for this service for the fiscal year 1925 we will be able to make our transcontinental route from New York to San Francisco function in a manner that will be very satisfactory to you business men on the west coast.

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TAX COLLECTOR GIVEN ANNUAL COLMA DINNER

Ambrose McSweeney, the genial county tax collector, was the guest of honor at a dinner given at the Colma home of Mrs. E. Belli last Saturday. The dinner is an annual affair given by M. Belli & Co. in Mr. McSweeney's honor on the day each year he collects taxes at Colma. Hosts and guests this year included the members of the Belli firm, Mr. McSweeney and his assistants, I. H. Potter and Henry Haaker, Dr. F. S. Dolley, Dr. R. L. Ochsner of San Francisco, and San Francisco representatives from the Buick, Ford and Pioneer Rubber companies.

SONG BIRD TRAPPERS FINED $450 BY JUDGE JOHNSON

Harry Caprine of Millbrae and Guiseppe Sarti, J. Fissole and E. L. Bagalte of San Francisco were fined $450 in the court of Justice of the Peace Ellis C. Johnson at Daly City Wednesday of last week on a charge of trapping song birds in silken nets near Cypress Lawn Cemetery. The men were arrested recently by Game Warden Jack Burke with 148 birds in their possession.

RED CROSS ROLL CALL

The seventh annual Red Cross roll call for membership began Monday of this week. Canvassing in South San Francisco will start tomorrow (Friday) and continue until Thanksgiving.

MERCHANTS TO HELP PAY FOR CITY SIGNS

Will Give Support to Installation of Signboards Advertising City.

At a well-attended meeting of the Merchants' Association held at the city hall Wednesday evening Edgar H. Lewis was appointed secretary pro tem.

The matter of the three electric signboards the city is planning to erect advertising South San Francisco was brought up and after considerable discussion it was decided by the association to help defray the cost of their installation. These signs are to be erected at three points, one opposite Cypress Lawn Cemetery, one at the boundary of the city and San Bruno and one on San Bruno road at the northern boundary of South San Francisco.

Following the transaction of routine business and the suggestion of many activities to be taken up during the coming year for the advancement of the city's interests, the meeting adjourned.

PLAN FORD DISPLAY WEEK

"Ford Display Week" will be celebrated by local dealers in a fitting manner. The date has been set for November 19th to 25th, inclusive. The San Francisco Ford factory branch and dealers will join in the movement.

Dealers will hold open house and all are invited to visit the several automobile establishments and inspect them.

Various methods of repairing and general Ford handling will be demonstrated and explained. In San Francisco at the factory branch a crew of men will publicly assemble Ford cars.

City and state officials will be invited to visit the Ford agencies, as well as clubs and civic bodies.

MRS. RYDER ASKS DIVORCE

Considerable interest has been aroused in this city by the announcement in a San Jose newspaper that Mrs. Irving Ryder has brought suit for divorce. Mrs. Ryder was formerly Mrs. Plymire and lived in South San Francisco. The suit is brought on the grounds of non-support and states that the couple separated last June.

TWO RESORTS CLOSED BY FEDERAL ORDERS

Two resorts in San Mateo county were closed Friday by order of Federal Judge John S. Partridge under prohibition abatement proceedings. The two are the Woodside Inn and a place known as "Frenchy's," both near Woodside. Federal officers stated that intoxicants were sold Stanford students at the latter place.

EMPLOYEE OF WESTERN PIPE & STEEL COMPANY INJURED

J. Carrafvo, employed at the Western Pipe and Steel Company, had a foot crushed Wednesday while loading steel into a car. The injured man was rushed to the South San Francisco Hospital, where the foot was amputated by Dr. F. S. Dolley.

CAPACITY AUDIENCE FOR RECITAL ASSURED

Much Interest Being Shown in Concert to Be Given by Miss Da Prato.

Much interest is being shown in town in the recital given by Miss Emilia Da Prato of this city under the personal direction of Andrew Bogart of San Francisco. The concert will take place Saturday evening of this week at the high school auditorium, and it is expected that there will be a capacity audience.

Miss Da Prato is well known in this city, where she has lived several years and where she attended school. Within the last two or three years she has become noted as the possessor of a beautiful soprano voice and has appeared on programs at many entertainments on the peninsula. About a year ago her singing attracted the attention of Andrew Bogart of San Francisco, a noted teacher of vocal music, and since Mr. Bogart took her training in hand Miss Da Prato's voice has developed remarkably, both in volume and sweetness.

Miss Da Prato's recital here was arranged by Mr. Bogart, that residents of this city might become better acquainted with the girl's voice. Her teacher predicts a wonderful career for Miss Da Prato.

The Industrial Club of this city has interested itself in the recital and its members have undertaken the sale of tickets. This insures a record sale of admissions and a large attendance.

At the recital other artists will appear on the program with both vocal and instrumental numbers. One of these is Miss Mabel Dyer, prima contralto, of New Zealand. Jerome Devoto, baritone, and Verne Kelsey, accompanist and soloist, will also assist Miss Da Prato. Local artists who will render selections are Judge J. G. Walker, one of the best-known tenors in the bay region and also a pupil of Bogart; M. L. Spangler, cornetist; H. A. Bewley, cornetist, and Mrs. M. L. Spangler, accompanist on the piano.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS ORGANIZE FOR WELFARE

The girl students of the local high school recently organized a Girls' League to carry on welfare work in the school and take charge of social activities. Miss Mabel Whitten was elected president, with Zilpha Dunlap, vice-president; Annie Lawler, secretary; Elizabeth Coffinberry, treasurer, and Edna Broner, Blue and White reporter.

MISS ALTHEA SPANGLER ENTERTAINS AT PARTY

Miss Althea Spangler entertained a group of young friends Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lumberg. The guest of honor was Miss Doris Miller of Oakland. The evening was spent in dancing.

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PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR SWAMP ROAD

Market Street Railway Co. and Spring Valley Grant Crossing Permits for New Road South.

Prospects are looking brighter for the construction of a road south from Orange avenue in this city to the Baden district on the other side of the swamp. One matter that has long delayed active steps being taken on this road has been the securing of crossing permits from the Market Street Railway Company, the Spring Valley Water Company and the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. Applications for these permits were made some time ago by City Clerk Daniel McSweeney on instructions from the city trustees. This week the desired documents were received from the Market Street Railway Company and from the Spring Valley Water Company. The Southern Pacific Company has not yet been heard from, but no difficulty in securing the crossing permit over the S. P. line is anticipated.

As it is now at the beginning of the rainy season, there is little likelihood that any work can be done on the road before next spring. City Engineer George A. Kneese has plans for the grading of the road all ready and as soon as the weather and condition of the ground permit it is expected that active work will start.

The construction of this road has long been desired, as it will furnish a direct means of communication and travel between the main part of this city with the district around Baden. The present roundabout road has been especially inconvenient for those wishing to shop in this city and for children coming to the schools here.

COUNTY SCIOTS TO ATTEND SESSION IN SAN DIEGO

The session of the Supreme Pyramid, Ancient Egyptian Order of Sciots, at San Diego Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week will be attended by many members of the order from this county. A special train for San Diego left San Francisco yesterday morning, well filled with Sciots and their families. Several members from San Mateo county took this train at San Mateo. Others are going to the convention by boat and auto.

It is expected that about 1000 Sciots and members of their families and friends from all over California will attend the big convention in San Diego, and, according to announcements from the southern metropolis, elaborate preparations have been made to entertain the visitors. Delegates from San Mateo Pyramid No. 25 are L. J. Clark, Harry Levitt, R. W. Allan and Frank Spencer, all from Burlingame; Judge George W. Kertell, San Mateo; C. W. McCracken, Redwood City, and Robert Speed, South San Francisco.

EDITOR APPOINTED TO STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Sam D. Merk of Burlingame, owner and editor of the Burlingame Advance, was appointed a member of the State Board of Education by Governor Friend W. Richardson last Friday. Mr. Merk will succeed Stanley B. Wilson of Los Angeles. Merk has been an aggressive and consistent supporter of Friend W. Richardson since the latter opened his campaign for the governorship. He has been a personal friend of Governor Richardson for many years.

In making the appointment, Governor Richardson announced: "I have drafted S. D. Merk for a place on the State Board of Education because he has had many years of experience in educational work, is a firm believer in our public school system, and favors keeping the schools out of politics."

MISS WACKERMAN GIVEN PARTY AT ELY HOME

A number of friends of Miss Mary Wackerman gave her a surprise party Thursday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ely. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games. Refreshments were served during the evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. Handalas, Mr. and Mrs. William Ely, Misses Grace Steele, Mary and Helen Cribari, Mary Wackerman and Helen Baccola; Messrs. Bud Maher, Fred Aberizzini, Steve Lombardi, G. Valentine, H. Baccola, Arthur Edwards and Ray Palmer.

DELVERS HAVE PARTY

The Delvers' class of the Methodist church enjoyed a theater party Monday evening, attending the Imperial, where the members saw "Little Old New York." The chaperon of the party was their popular teacher, Mrs. Caroline Coffinberry.

BRIDGE STOCK SALE OPENED THIS WEEK

BOOSTERS OF BIG PROJECT BELIEVE 15,000 SHARES OFFERED AT $100 EACH WILL SOON BE TAKEN BY INVESTORS.

Boosters for the great transbay bridge to be constructed from Dumbarton Point near Redwood City to the east side of the bay are predicting that the stock which is offered for sale by the corporation handling the project will soon be taken up.

An anouncement from the corporation's headquarters yesterday says:

Initial offering of Dumbarton Highway Bridge Corporation stock was made Tuesday, when that company placed 15,000 shares on the market at $100 a share. Returns from the sale of this stock will be utilized in building the Dumbarton highway bridge from near Redwood City, San Mateo county, to a point opposite Newark, Alameda county, which will be the first uninterrupted traffic facility between central California and San Francisco.

The Dumbarton highway bridge will be built by Harrington, Howard & Ash, and when completed will be a 5600-foot steel and concrete span structure, costing approximately $1,700,000. The bridge will serve a population of about 1,000,000 people, who own and operate 209,199 pleasure cars and 11,076 motor trucks.

Earnings of this stock will be derived from tolls collected on bridge traffic, which have been placed by franchise agreement at 30 cents for pleasure cars, 40 cents for trucks and 5 cents a passenger. Under present traffic conditions there are approximately 20,000 motor cars and trucks using the highways adjacent to the proposed bridge. Using this as a basis, the Dumbarton Highway Bridge Corporation has calculated that it would have a minimum daily traffic of 100 pleasure cars, 150 trucks and 3400 passengers and drivers. At the allowed toll charges the corporation calculates that this would give it a daily average of $710 a day gross income, or approximately $260,000 minimum annual return. Deducting from this an operating charge of $50,000 allows, according to the association's calculations, a net earning of $210,000 a year.

These toll estimates have been compiled by John Lyle Harrington, internationally famous bridge builder and senior member of the engineering firm which will build the Dumbarton bridge. Regarding the toll estimates, Harrington says:

"I have been very conservative in my estimates, and based on the earnings of the Columbia river bridge at Portland, Ore., and the St. John's river bridge at Jacksonville, Fla., the Dumbarton bridge will earn much more than the minimum. The Dumbarton highway bridge will have approximately 1,000,000 potential users, and, since it is statistically proven that there are more cars in California per capita than the other two localities, I firmly believe that this project will show a much greater earning capacity than either of the other two."

BOY NARROWLY ESCAPES WHEN RUN OVER BY CAR

George Marcelli, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Marcelli of 379 Grand avenue, had a narrow escape from death or serious injury last Saturday when he was run over by an auto driven by a man from Burlingame whose name was not secured. The boy, attracted by some children on the opposite side of the street, ran from the sidewalk directly in the path of the approaching car. The machine knocked him down and one wheel passed over his abdomen. He was picked up and rushed to the South San Francisco Hospital, where it was discovered that his injuries consisted only in severe bruises. He was able to return home again, not greatly the worse for his experience.

LADIES' AID HOLDS ANNUAL LUNCH AND SALE

The Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's Methodist Church held its annual luncheon and sale yesterday and today in the new Cunningham building on Grand avenue. An interesting program of musical numbers was given Wednesday evening and light refreshments were served.

Scene in Changsha, Center of Chinese Civil War

Native section of Changsha, China, the hotbed of the fighting between the forces of the North and South, which city all Americans have been forced to leave.

Palatinate City Where Republic Was Proclaimed

View of Ludwigshaven, chief city of the Bavarian Palatinate, where a group of separatists proclaimed a new republic.

LINCOLN BUST IN LONDON

This bust of Abraham Lincoln has just been unveiled in the Mirror room of the Savoy hotel in London. "Tay Pay" O'Connor, M. P., was the guest of honor.

CHIEF OF THE SCOUTS

Daniel Carter Beard, National Scout commissioner, who headed a delegation of one thousand boy scouts on Navy day to pay tribute at the grave of Colonel Roosevelt.

Clothes That Passed in the Night.

Passenger (after the first night on board ship)—I say, where have my clothes gone?

Steward—Where did you put them?

Passenger—In that little cupboard there, with the glass door on it.

Steward—Bless me, sir, that ain't no cupboard. That's a porthole.—Reynolds' Newspaper.

There Are Lucid Intervals.

Kitty—Mr. S—— stutters, which is most unfortunate.

Fifi—Does he stutter all the time?

Kitty—Well, no; he only stutters when he talks.

Case of Necessity.

Ted—Whatever the moralists may say, short skirts made a girl look neat.

Ned—Yes; they kept her from going around with darned stockings.

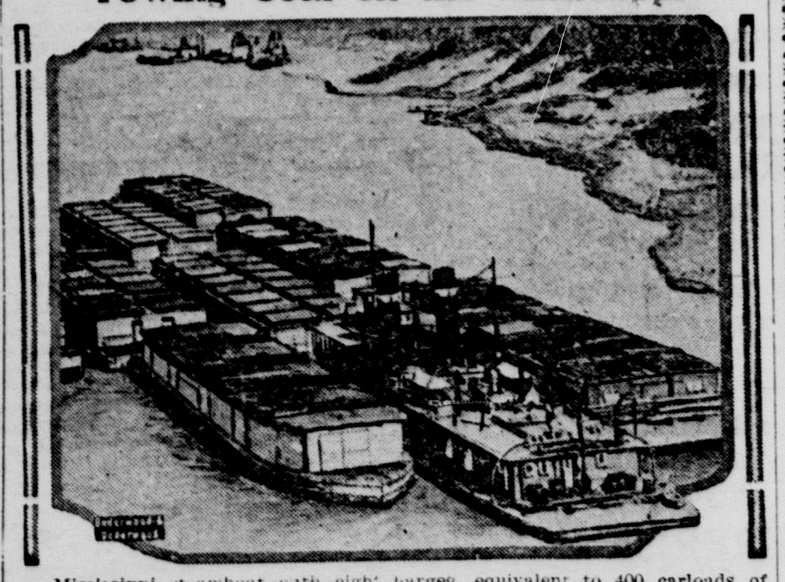
Girl Freshies Were Rebellious

Because girl "freshies" at the University of Cincinnati refused to wear white middies and ignored other rules of the women's vigilance committee, they were punished recently by being compelled to brush the teeth of the two big stone lions in front of McMicken hall.

Two New Pets for the White House

"Blackie" and "Tiger," two new arrivals at the White House zoo, presented by a Boston admirer of the President.

Towing Coal on the Mississippi



Mississippi steamboat with eight barges, equivalent to 400 carloads of coal, passing Memphis, Tenn. This barge project is operated by the government and was recently inspected by the senatorial committee.

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Tippecanoe Tribe, No. 111, Impd. O. R. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Fraternal Hall. Visiting brothers welcome.
H. Abrams, Sachem.
R. Zanetti, Chief of Records.

South City Lodge, No. 832, L. O. O. M., meets in Fraternal Hall every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers welcome.
H. L. Miller, Dictator.
Henry Veit, Secretary.

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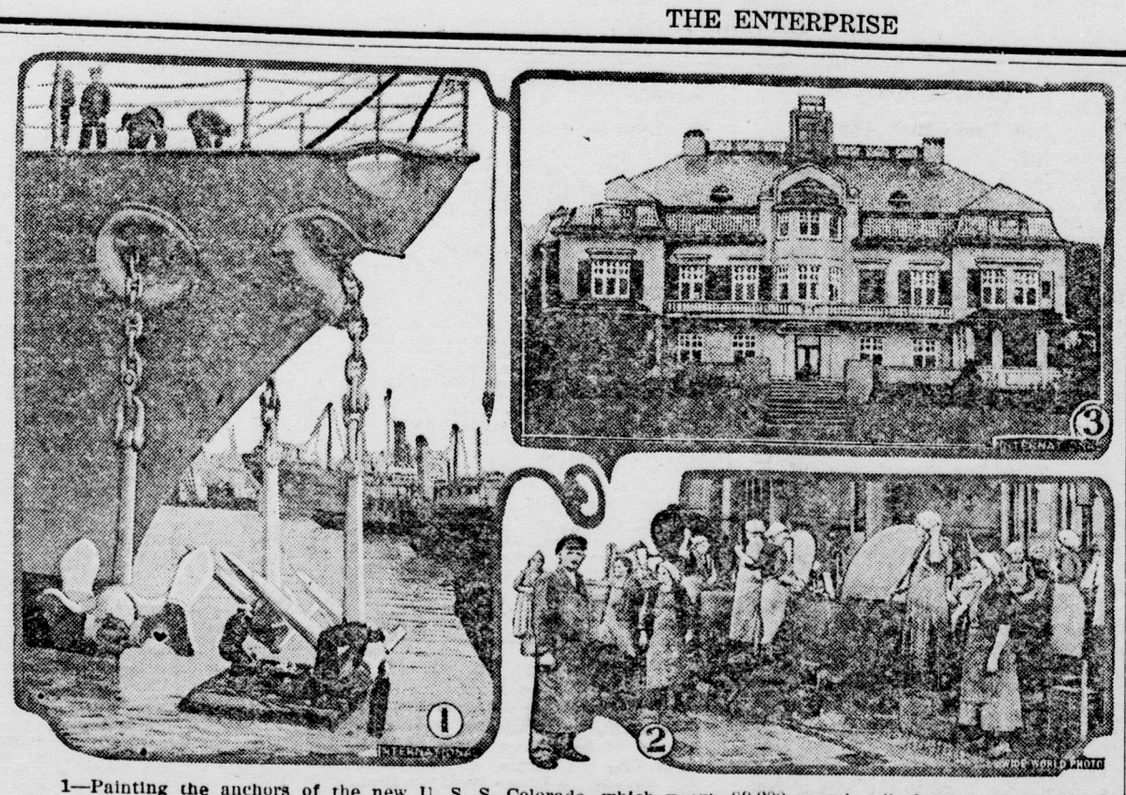

1—Painting the anchors of the new U. S. S. Colorado, which weigh 99,000 pounds. 2—Interior view of the "Central kitchen" of Berlin where food for the poor is prepared. 3—Building in Christiania, Norway, just acquired by the United States for the legation.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Poincare Accepts the Hughes Plan for Committee of Experts, With Reservations.

GERMAN ROYALISTS MOBILIZE

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

SOLUTION of the German reparations problem, which in large measure is the economic and financial problem of all Europe, is now within the bounds of possibility if not probability. Secretary Hughes' suggestion of a committee of experts is likely to be adopted, with some modifications. Assured by Washington that the United States would participate in an advisory capacity, Great Britain asked France whether she would agree to the plan, and Premier Poincare's reply was prompt and as satisfactory as could well be expected. In a public speech, a proclamation and notes to London, he accepted the proposals in principle, but insisted the findings of the experts must be only advisory in character and relating only to the present capacity of Germany to pay, and should not be necessarily binding on either the reparations commission or the governments concerned. The selection of the experts, except the American, he said, should be made by the reparations commission. In his speech he also declared France would not permit a discussion of a reduction in the reparations total fixed in May, 1921, at 132,000,000,000 gold marks ($33,000,000,000), or a suggestion for an abandonment of the guarantees.

With these restrictions, M. Poincare consented to join in an invitation to the United States to send representatives to the conference of experts. At first the English were disappointed and angry, but the government decided to accept the French reservations. There is no reason to believe any other of the nations concerned will object to the plan.

The reparations commission, on motion of Sir John Bradbury, English, ruled that no one of the nations had the right to dictate as to the competence or to define or limit the jurisdiction of the commission in dealing with the problem of the German indemnity. This might permit the overriding of the French restrictions, and even the discussion of the interallied debts so far as they affect reparations.

Poincare's reservations are not held by the administration at Washington to be a bar to the execution of the Hughes plan and our part in putting it into operation is under way. The Europeans would like to see an American made chairman of the committee of experts, and would prefer J. P. Morgan, Roland Boyden or Paul Cravath. It may be Mr. Morgan would not serve, and there is talk of the selection of Elihu Root. Washington has made it plain to the allies that by participation in the conference we accept no responsibility for the enforcing of its findings.

Meanwhile, the German industrial magnates and General Degoutte have been in conference trying to arrange for resumption of work in the Ruhr and of the payment of reparations in kind. If the accord is signed it will provide that the German government shall pay the industrialists for deliveries to France, beginning next spring. At this writing the Germans have yielded to almost all the French demands except restrictions of their rights to free trade with unoccupied Germany and the rest of the world. Krupp von Bohlen was paroled from prison to take part in the conferences. On Thursday he signed the accord.

DISPATCHES from Germany insist that Chancellor Stresemann's government is "tottering on the brink." The Socialists are still threatening to quit him, and the monarchists are trying to bring about a dictatorship for the whole country with the ultimate purpose, presumably, of restoring the empire. This movement is fostered especially by the Bavarians, and toward the end of the week it was reported that they had mobilized between 20,000 and 30,000 troops along the Thuringian frontier for a march on Berlin, that reinforcements were flocking to the royalist colors from all sides and that 15,000 Bavarian reichswehr at Bamberg were ready to join. This body of reichswehr troops was "kidnaped" from the central government by Bavaria and she stubbornly refuses the demands of Stresemann that they be restored. Socialists in the Berlin cabinet rage at Stresemann for what they consider his mildness toward Bavaria, but he refused to press action against Munich until he had settled his troubles with the Saxon government. That he appears to be doing, for the Saxon cabinet retired from office at his demand and another ministry was formed exclusively of Socialists. This has offended the more radical Socialists.

In various parts of the Rhineland the separatists held out against the attacks of the police, the workers and the Socialists, but they did not make much headway. The British government announced that it would not countenance the establishment of an independent republic within the borders of Germany since the allies in the treaty of Versailles had guaranteed the integrity of German territory. M. Poincare in reply denied that either France or Belgium had given the separatists assistance and said the Rhineland republic was developing as freely without encouragement as without hindrances.

Former Crown Prince Friedrich Wilhelm has asked permission of the Dutch government to return to Germany. Holland does not object but would not permit him to return again to that country. It is said the German government will allow the exprince to go home provided he lives quietly on his estate in Silesia. Whether his request has any connection with the royalist movement is a question

BY VOTE of the Angora assembly Turkey was declared a republic last week, and Mustapha Kemal was elected its first president. Ismet Pasha was appointed premier and formed a cabinet. Great Britain has asked Turkey to open pourparlers on the Mosul question, and it is said both the British and the French are offering the Turks loans and concessions in the effort to obtain the things which they failed to get by diplomacy at Lausanne.

DIPLOMATS of the United States and the British empire have settled the rum running issue between America and Great Britain and agreed upon a treaty. This pact will give our prohibition enforcers the right to search suspected liquor smuggling vessels as far as "an hour's sailing from the American shore"—the proposed twelve-mile limit not being mentioned. In return America will formally affirm the three-mile limit as governing British maritime rights generally, and, what is more important, British ships will be allowed to carry liquor under seal into American territorial waters. Washington will undertake similar arrangements with other nations.

Thus, so far as the diplomats are concerned, all is lovely. But the United States senate is still to be reckoned with. Of course the drys approve of the extension of the search limit, but some of them will strenuously object to the section that permits British vessels to bring in liquor under seal. In this they have the purely selfish support of American shipping interests. Wayne B. Wheeler, counsel for the Anti-Saloon league, doesn't believe that part of the proposed treaty would be constitutional.

IN THE controversy with Governor Pinchot over what he calls the failure of the federal government to enforce prohibition, Secretary Mellon has taken up the cudgel in behalf of the administration. Rather it should be said Pinchot forced the cudgel into Mellon's hand. The governor in a letter to the secretary placed on the federal permit system the blame for the "breakdown" of prohibition enforcement in Pennsylvania and declared that Mellon, as secretary of the treasury, has the power to cut off the flood of illicit liquor at its source by revoking the permits. In reply Mellon said the treasury is invoking every available means for prohibition enforcement, that statements to the contrary by Pinchot were "gratuitous and not founded on fact," and that it would be better for the governor to expend his energy in ascertaining facts and actually enforcing the law rather than in the promotion of "unjustified criticism." Pinchot retorted that Mellon was merely defending "things as they are." All of this discussion means, to the average citizen, merely that Governor Pinchot is becoming an active rival of President Coolidge for the presidential nomination next year, and that Secretary Mellon is enlisted in support of Mr. Coolidge.

FRANK B. KELLOGG, former United States senator from Minnesota, has been selected by President Coolidge to succeed George Harvey as American ambassador to Great Britain, and the British government has announced that his appointment will be highly satisfactory. Over here the President's choice was generally commended except by certain of the old "irreconcilables" who remember Mr. Kellogg was a mild reservationist when the question of the League of Nations was before the senate. However, there is little doubt that the senate will confirm his appointment, and no doubt at all that Mr. Kellogg has sufficient ability and diplomatic skill to fill the post with credit.

GOVERNOR WALTON of Oklahoma was arraigned before the state senate court of impeachment Thursday on twenty-two charges of corruption in office, wilful neglect of duty, moral turpitude and general incompetency. The actual trial was delayed by a lot of legal skirmishing. The governor seemingly bases his defense on the klan issue.

A Muskogee newspaper printed a story that two members of the senate had been offered bribes of $10,000 to vote a certain way on the verdict, and the editor and his Oklahoma City correspondent were called before the senate court to explain the article and tell where the information was obtained.

BLAME for the accident of September 8 off the California coast, in which seven destroyers and 23 lives were lost, is laid on three officers by the board of inquiry which has reported to Secretary of the Navy Denby. On the recommendations of the board, Capt. Edward H. Watson, the squadron commander, Lieut. Commander Donald T. Hunter, commanding the Delphi, flagship and leader of the nine destroyers which grounded, and Lieut. Lawrence F. Blodgett, navigator of the Delphi, will be charged before a general court-martial with "culpable inefficiency in the performance of duty," and negligence. Eight other officers will be tried for negligence.

ANDREW BONAR LAW, former prime minister of Great Britain and chancellor of the exchequer under Lloyd George, died in England after a lingering illness. He was considered one of England's best informed and solidest statesmen, though lacking many of the qualities that make for popularity. A greater loss to the world came in the death of Dr. Charles P. Steinmetz at Schnectady, N. Y. His achievements and discoveries in electrical engineering had made him world famous and his devotion to science was utterly unselfish.

IN THE presence of President Coolidge, a host of officials and representatives of all Masonic organizations, the corner stone of the great Masonic memorial to George Washington was laid at Alexandria, Va., Thursday. The temple, which will be of Greek architecture, will cost $4,000,000 and will be a shrine for American Freemasonry in which will be preserved many relics of the Father of His Country.

AS AN expression of its gratitude for America's help at the time of the recent earthquake, Japan has offered to the United States a perpetual lease on a two-acre estate adjoining the site of our embassy in Tokyo which was destroyed. Ambassador Woods is on his way home with the offer and plans for a fine new building.

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ROBERT SPEED . . . . . Managing Editor

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1923.

BERKELEY CONFLAGRATION

Fifty of the finest residential blocks in Berkeley were recently wiped out by fire. A forest of chimneys remain as a monument to the conflagration.

Figures just compiled by the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific show that the value of the insured property wholly or partially destroyed was $7,987,574.28. The amount of insurance carried was $4,387,130.24. The amount of loss paid up to November 2d totaled $3,648,076.69. Considerable property was destroyed without any insurance and the actual losses in this conflagration will reach the original estimate of over $10,000,000.

The insurance carried was approximately only 50 per cent of the property value, as nearly all dwelling owners everywhere have overlooked the increase in values during the last few years and in most instances are very much underinsured.

The Berkeley fire gives another forceful illustration of necessity of fire prevention and fire protection measures in every city. These great conflagration losses which occur periodically in this nation help keep the fire loss per capita at disgracefully high figures, in fact, the world's record.

Such losses, while paid by the insurance companies to the extent of the insurance carried, come out of the people in the form of insurance premiums.

American fire insurance companies, after 100 years of fire underwriting experience, find that it is necessary in establishing rates to yield them a normal return of 5 per cent on their underwriting profits, to add 3 per cent additional to cover conflagration losses.

In other words, conflagration losses which are considered fires of $1,000,000 or over, are so numerous that experience has shown that it is necessary to figure on an extra 3 per cent to meet this hazard in order that insurance companies may figure on a normal return of 5 per cent.

PRAISES OFFICER H. McGRAW

Editor Enterprise: The residents of this addition appreciate the quick service Officer McGraw gave us Saturday night, November 10th. At fifteen minutes to 8, when Mrs. Hester went to enter her home, a burglar was inside robbing her residence. Before she had time to have a light he struck her with some heavy weapon, cutting a gash in her head. But she was able to get to the door and hollered murder. The neighbors heard and they all ran with weapons, but on account of the darkness could not see which way he ran. If we had caught sight of him he would never have been able to put his feet on the ground again. The officers got here in five minutes from the time one of the neighbors, Mrs. James Morris, had telephoned. This was good time, considering the distance they had to go out of their way to get here. We hope we will have a road direct to this district soon to help the officers out in such cases of trouble. We have had lots of prowlers around here at night in this district. Owing to the unlighted district, it is hard to see which way to shoot to get them. It would be a good idea to keep Baden crossing clear of gypsies camping there. At daylight this morning there were six strolling around. They stroll around to get the layout in daylight. Hoping that through your paper you will draw the attention of our officials to this condition. MRS. JAMES MORRIS.

P. S. Officer McGraw was on his job. He made good time here, considering the inconvenience of no road to connect with this district.

Read it in The Enterprise.

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Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

BORN

TOMEI—In South San Francisco, November 6, 1923, to the wife of Nello Tomei, a son.

LORENZETTI—In South San Francisco, October 28, 1923, to the wife of Edward Lorenzetti, a son.

MELONE—At the South San Francisco Hospital, November 6, 1923, to the wife of Angelo Melone, a son.

GREGOIRE—At the South San Francisco Hospital, November 2, 1923, to the wife of Louis Gregoire, a son.

SPURI—In this city, October 27, 1923, to the wife of Frank Spuri, a daughter.

NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS.

No. 52.

Pursuant to the statute and to the resolution of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco directing this notice, said Board of Trustees hereby invites sealed proposals or bids for doing the following work in said city, to-wit:

That Grand Avenue from the easterly line of Chestnut Avenue to the northerly line of Mission Road in said city be improved by constructing therein a cement concrete combined curb and gutter, including the excavation for the same, and by constructing therein cement concrete sidewalks, including the grading for the same; and by constructing therein a brick catch basin with cast iron frame and cover.

All work herein provided for shall be done to official grade and in accordance with the special plans and specifications for said work, which plans and specifications are entitled "Plans and specifications for the construction of improvement work on Grand Avenue from the easterly line of Chestnut Avenue to the northerly line of Mission Road in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, which streets and avenues are fully shown upon the plans hereto attached, which are made a part hereof", which plans and specifications were heretofore adopted by said Board of Trustees on the 8th day of October, 1923, and are now on file in the office of the City Clerk, to which plans and specifications reference is hereby made for a full description of said work and for the location and extent of the work to be done hereunder and for a particular description of the boundaries of the district herein mentioned. All such work is to include any and all street intersections and street terminations and opposite terminations of, in and to all the above mentioned streets and those to respective lines above mentioned, as is more particularly shown upon said plans. Any duplication in any of the work hereinbefore described shall be ignored. There is excepted however, from the above mentioned work any and all such work as has been already done to official grade.

And said Board of Trustees did, in said Resolution of Intention No. 52, determine and declare that said proposed work and improvement is of more than local or ordinary public benefit and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is hereby declared to be the district benefited by said work and improvement and that therefore the entire costs and expenses of said work and improvement shall be and are hereby made chargeable against and shall be assessed upon said lands and district, except as hereinafter expressly provided, which district is within said City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the southerly line of Grand Avenue with the easterly line of Chestnut Avenue in the City of South San Francisco; running thence along the easterly line of Chestnut Avenue south 15 degrees 33 minutes west 277.5 feet; thence at right angles north 74 degrees 27 minutes west 240.00 feet; thence south 15 degrees 33 minutes west 14.25 feet; thence north 74 degrees 27 minutes west 265.62 feet to the southeasterly line of Oak Avenue; thence northwesterly in a straight line to a point on the northwesterly line of Oak Avenue, said point being the intersection of said northwesterly line with a line drawn parallel with and distant 120 feet southerly at right angles from the southerly line of Grand Avenue; thence westerly, parallel with and keeping a distance of 120 feet southerly at right angles from the southerly line of Grand Avenue to the northerly line of Mission Road; thence along said northerly line of Mission Road to a point where said northerly line is intersected by a line drawn parallel with and distant 120 feet at right angles northerly from the northerly line of Grand Avenue; thence northeasterly and easterly parallel with and distant 120 feet at right angles from the northerly line of Grand Avenue to the easterly line of Ashton Avenue; thence south 75 degrees 28 minutes east 318.11 feet; thence south 88 degrees 55 minutes east 82.38 feet; thence north 70 degrees 33 minutes east 167.22 feet; thence on a curve to the right having a radius of 287 feet a distance of 175.32 feet; thence south 74 degrees 27 minutes east 19.46 feet; thence north 15 degrees 33 minutes east 81.71 feet; thence south 74 degrees 27 minutes east 268.71 feet to the easterly line of Chestnut Avenue; thence south 15 degrees 33 minutes west 288.71 feet to the point of beginning.

Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues and alleys, lanes, courts and places included and contained.

Said Board of Trustees hereby orders that the entire costs and expenses of the construction of said improvement work on the portion of Grand Avenue included between a line drawn at right angles to the center line of Grand Avenue 674 feet westerly from the easterly line of Chestnut Avenue, measured along the center line of Grand Avenue, and a line drawn at right angles to the center line of Grand Avenue 1055 feet westerly from the easterly line of Chestnut Avenue, measured along the center line of Grand Avenue, and on that portion of Grand Avenue included between a line drawn at right angles to the center line of Grand Avenue at a point 1762 feet westerly from the easterly line of Chestnut Avenue, measured along the center line of Grand Avenue, and the northerly line of Mission Road, shall be paid out of the general fund of the treasury of the City of South San Francisco.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments and bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum will be issued hereunder in the manner specified in the "Improvement Bond Act of 1915" and the amendments thereto, the last installment of which bonds shall mature nine (9) years from the 2nd day of July next succeeding ten (10) months from their date.

Except as hereinbefore provided, all of the herein proposed work shall be done in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of California, designated as the "Improvement Act of 1911", approved April 7, 1911, and amendments thereto.

Reference is hereby made to Resolution of Intention No. 52 for further particulars, which resolution of intention is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

All proposals or bids shall be accompanied by a check payable to the City of South San Francisco certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal or by a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath in double the said amount over and above all statutory exemptions.

Sealed proposals or bids shall be delivered to the City Clerk of said city on or before 7:30 o'clock p. m. on Monday the 3rd day of December, 1923, said time being not less than ten (10) days from the first publication and posting of this notice.

Dated November 14, 1923.

DANIEL McSWEENEY,
City Clerk.

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ORDINANCE NO. 121.

An Ordinance Calling a Special Election in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, for the Purpose of Submitting and Submitting to the Qualified Electors of the City of South San Francisco, a Municipal Corporation, a Proposition to Incur a Bonded Indebtedness Thereof to Pay the Cost of Certain Public Municipal Improvements, the Cost of Which Said Municipal Improvements Will Be Too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of Said City of South San Francisco, and Will, in Addition to the Other Expenditures of Said City of South San Francisco, Exceed the Income and Revenue Provided for in Any One Year, and Fixing Monday, the 3rd Day of December, 1923, as the Date Upon Which Said Election Shall Be Held; the Manner of Holding Said Election and Voting For or Against Incurring Such Indebtedness; Also Declaring the Estimated Cost of Said Proposed Public Improvements, the Amount of the Principal of the Indebtedness to Be Incurred Therefor, and the Rate of Interest to Be Paid Thereon.

The Said Proposition to Be Submitted, and So Submitted to the Qualified Electors of Said City of South San Francisco, Being the Incurring of a Bonded Indebtedness of $58,000.00 for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by the City of South San Francisco, a Municipal Corporation, of a System of Sewers in San Bruno Road From Chapman Avenue to the North Boundary Line of Said City and in Butler Road, Including an Outfall Sewer and the Acquisition of the Necessary Rights of Way for Said Outfall Sewer, and a System of Sewers in That Portion of Said City Lying West of Chestnut Avenue.

Whereas the City of South San Francisco is a municipal corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of California, and the legislative branch of said City of South San Francisco is designated as the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco and consists of five members, and the President of said Board of Trustees is the chief executive of said municipality; and

Whereas the legislative branch of said City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, to-wit: the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco did, on the 8th day of October, 1923, by an affirmative vote of more than two-thirds of its members, to-wit: the five members of said legislative branch, determine in due and proper form by resolution that public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction and completion of certain municipal improvements in and for said City of South San Francisco, to-wit:

The acquisition, construction and completion of a system of sewers in San Bruno Road from Chapman Avenue to the north boundary line of said city and in Butler Road, including an outfall sewer and the acquisition of the necessary rights of way for said outfall sewer, and also a system of sewers in that portion of said City of South San Francisco lying west of Chestnut Avenue; that the cost of said municipal improvements will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said City of South San Francisco, and will, in addition to the other expenditures of said City of South San Francisco exceed the income and revenue provided for any one year; and

Whereas the executive, the President of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, did on the 8th day of October, 1923, duly and regularly approve such action of said legislative branch; and

Whereas the total assessed value of all the real and personal property within said City of South San Francisco is $3,902,230.00; and

Whereas the total indebtedness hitherto incurred for public improvements of said City of South San Francisco is $191,000.00 and of said last mentioned amount the sum of $158,100.00 remains unpaid; and

Whereas the present indebtedness already incurred for improvements by said City of South San Francisco, together with the indebtedness herein proposed to be incurred for said municipal improvements, will not in the aggregate exceed fifteen (15) per cent of the assessed value of all the real and personal property of said City of South San Francisco;

Now, therefore, the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco do ordain as follows:

Section 1. A special election is hereby called and shall be held in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, on Monday, the 3rd day of December, 1923, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said City of South San Francisco, the proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness of $58,000.00 in Gold Coin of the United States of America, for the purpose of the acquisition, construction and completion by said City of South San Francisco, a municipal corporation, of a system of sewers for said city in San Bruno Road from Chapman Avenue to the north boundary line of said city and in Butler Road, including an outfall sewer and the acquisition of the necessary rights of way for said outfall sewer, and also a system of sewers in that portion of said City of South San Francisco lying west of Chestnut Avenue.

And the last mentioned date, to-wit, the 3rd day of December, 1923, is hereby fixed as the date for holding said special election and notice of said election is hereby given and the said proposition to incur said bonded indebtedness by said City of South San Francisco is hereby submitted to the qualified voters of said City of South San Francisco for their determination at said election.

Section 2. The object and purpose for which said bonded indebtedness of $58,000.00 is proposed to be incurred and bonds issued is the acquistion, construction and completion of a system of sewers for said city in San Bruno Road from Chapman Avenue to the north boundary line of said city and in Butler Road, including an outfall sewer and the acquisition of the necessary rights of way for said outfall sewer, and also a system of sewers in that portion of said City of South San Francisco lying west of Chestnut Avenue.

Section 3. The estimated cost of said municipal improvements is $58,000.00 and the amount of the principal of the indebtedness to be incurred therefor is $58,000.00.

Section 4. If at said special election two-thirds of all the voters voting at such special election shall vote in favor of incurring a bonded indebtedness of $58,000.00, as in this ordinance provided, said bonds shall be authorized to be issued and shall be issued to the amount of $58,000.00, for the purpose aforesaid, payable in Gold Coin of the United States of America;

Said bonds shall be negotiable in form and shall be of the character known as serials and shall bear the rate of interest and shall be paid as hereinafter provided.

The bonds authorized to be issued pursuant to said election shall bear interest from their date until paid at the rate of Five (5) per cent per annum payable semi-annually, and the principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in Gold Coin of the United States of America in the manner following, that is to say: One-tenth (1/10) part of the whole amount of the principal of said indebtedness created under the provisions of this ordinance shall be paid each and every year at the City Treasury of said City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, on a day and date to be hereafter fixed by the Legislative Branch of said municipality, together with the interest on all sums unpaid at such date; provided that the interest on said bonds shall be paid semi-annually so that there shall be a payment of interest on all sums then unpaid in each and every half-year, one of such semi-annual payments in each year being on the day and date of the payment of the annual installment of the principal of such indebtedness as aforesaid; and

Provided further that said interest shall be evidenced by the proper coupons attached to said bonds, a separate coupon being attached to each bond for each semi-annual payment of the interest to become due on such bond; and

That the total indebtedness authorized to be created at said election shall be represented by bonds payable in the manner aforesaid, and that said bonds shall be issued in such denominations as the legislative branch of said City of South San Francisco may determine, except that no bonds shall be of a less denomination than One Hundred Dollars nor of a greater denomination than One Thousand Dollars and that said bonds shall be known as Municipal Improvement Bonds, Series 1923.

Section 5. It is further ordained that the manner of holding said special election and of voting thereat for and against said proposition of incurring said indebtedness shall be as provided in this ordinance and that, in all particulars not recited herein, such special election shall be held as provided for by law for holding municipal elections in said City of South San Francisco, and that in all particulars not recited herein and not provided for by law for holding municipal elections, the general election laws of the State of California, so far as the same may be applicable shall apply.

That for the purpose of said special election said City of South San Francisco has been and now is divided into two election precincts respectively to be known as "South San Francisco Municipal Election Precinct No. 1" and "South San Francisco Municipal Election Precinct No. 2".

South San Francisco Municipal Election Precinct No. 1 shall contain all that territory of said city included within the following described boundaries, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of the main county road leading from San Francisco to San Jose, where the southeasterly line of the 90.11 acre tract of land, formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road and running thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of said Tomaso Cresta 90.11 acre tract to the southwesterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate; running thence southeasterly along the southwesterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate to the northwesterly corner of the 440.91 acre tract of the lands of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company; running thence easterly and northeasterly along the northerly boundary line of the said 440.91 acre tract of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company to the point where said last mentioned boundary line is intersected by the center line of Olive Avenue, produced northerly, in the City of South San Francisco; thence southerly on and along the said center line of Olive Avenue, produced southerly, to the intersection thereof with the center line of Armour Avenue; thence westerly along the center line of Armour Avenue to the intersection thereof with the center line of Maple Avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Maple Avenue to the intersection thereof with the westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad; thence northwesterly along the said westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad to the northeasterly corner of the lands of the New California Jockey Club, known as "Tanforan Park"; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of said Tanforan Park to the easterly line of the main county road leading from San Francisco to San Jose; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of said main county road one mile; thence crossing said road to its westerly line and running northwesterly along its westerly line to a point where the southerly line of the 90.11 acre tract, formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, if extended southwesterly across said road, would intersect the same; thence northeasterly crossing said road to the point of beginning.

South San Francisco Municipal Election Precinct No. 2 shall contain all that territory of said city included within the following described boundaries, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the northerly boundary line of the 440.91 acre tract of land of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company where the center line of Olive Avenue, produced northerly, in the City of South San Francisco intersects the same, and running thence along the northerly boundary line of Peck's Subdivision of South San Francisco to the easterly line of San Bruno Road; running thence northeasterly along the easterly line of San Bruno Road to the northwesterly corner of Lot number 18 of Section 15, Township 3 South, Range 5 West; running thence due east along the northerly line of Lots numbers 17 and 18 of said Section 15 and along the northerly line of Lots numbers 24, 23 and 22 of Section 14, and to the center of Section 14, Township 3 South, Range 5 West; thence due east to the line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo; thence running southerly along said line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo to a point due east of the extension of the northerly boundary line of Section 36, Township 3 South, Range 5 West; running thence due west to the northeasterly corner of the Water Front and the Tide Land Company's 80 acre tract of said Section 36; running thence due west along the north section lines of Sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 of said Township 3 South, Range 5 West, to the easterly line of San Bruno Road; thence northerly along the easterly line of the San Bruno Road 38 chains more or less, to a point where the northerly line of the Fifth Addition to San Bruno Park, if extended northeasterly would intersect the said easterly line of the said San Bruno Road; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of the Fifth Addition of San Bruno Park, and the southerly line of the lands of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company to the center line of Maple Avenue, produced southerly; thence northerly along said center line of said Maple Avenue to the intersection thereof with the center line of Armour Avenue; thence easterly along the center line of Armour Avenue to the intersection thereof with the center line of Olive Avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Olive Avenue to the point of beginning.

That said election shall be conducted by boards of election consisting of one (1) Inspector, one (1) Judge and two (2) Clerks for each precinct whose duties and powers shall be and are the same as those of boards of election and of such election officers, respectively, under the law governing municipal elections of said City of South San Francisco, and in particulars not covered by such law, then under the general election laws of the State of California. If any of the members of said Boards of Election hereinafter named fail to attend at the opening of the polls on the morning of such election, the qualified electors of that precinct present at that hour, including members of the board, may supply the place of any such absent member by appointment, as provided by said general election laws.

At said special election, the polls shall be open at six o'clock of the morning of such election and shall be kept open until seven o'clock in the afternoon of the same day when the said polls shall be closed.

In said South San Francisco municipal election precincts the polls shall be held at the places and the election conducted as aforesaid by said Inspectors, Judges and Clerks, respectively, hereinafter named as follows, to-wit: In South San Francisco Municipal Election Precinct No. 1 the polls shall be held in the basement of the City Hall in said City, and the Inspector shall be Anna W. Woodman; the Judge shall be Paul Svanosi; the Clerks shall be Blanche Carleton and Mary Di Vita.

In South San Francisco Municipal Election Precinct No. 2 the polls shall be held in Pala's Hall at the northeast corner of Lux Avenue and San Bruno Road in said City, and the Inspector shall be R. Tibbetts; the Judge shall be Kate Foley; the Clerks shall be George Roll and Mary Mercks.

And said polling places above designated have been found and are hereby determined to be suitable and proper places for holding such special election, and said several persons above designated as members of the respective Boards of Election have been found and are hereby determined to be qualified for said respective positions on said Boards of Election as required by law and they shall and will be and are hereby appointed as such officers to conduct such and said election and constitute said Boards of Election, and said Boards of Election and said officers shall conduct and are hereby directed to conduct said election as by law and this ordinance provided and to canvass the votes given and cast at said special election and to make and deliver returns thereof in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance and of law and the said Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco shall meet and canvass said returns when received and declare the result of said special election in the manner provided for by law.

Section 6. A sufficient number of ballots shall be and is hereby directed to be prepared and caused to be printed for said precincts as provided for by law and upon the proper kind of paper, to-wit:

The same as used at general elections in the State of California, by the Clerk of the City of South San Francisco and be furnished and provided for the use of the voters at said special election at the expense of the City of South San Francisco and to have the following matter printed thereon in addition to such other matter as may be required by law, to-wit:

"A special election submitting to the qualified voters of the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, the following proposition, to-wit:

Proposition.

The proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness of $58,000.00 in Gold Coin of the United States of America for the object and purpose of acquiring, constructing and completing by the City of South San Francisco, a municipal corporation, a system of sewers for said city in San Bruno Road from Chapman Avenue to the north boundary line of said city and in Butler Road, including an outfall sewer and the acquisition of the necessary rights of way for said outfall sewer, and also a system of sewers in that portion of said City of South San Francisco lying west of Chestnut Avenue.

For said proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness of $58,000.00 for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and completing a system of sewers for said city in San Bruno Road from Chapman Avenue to the north boundary line of said city and in Butler Road, including an outfall sewer and the acquisition of the necessary rights of way for said outfall sewer and also a system of sewers in that portion of said City of South San Francisco lying west of Chestnut Avenue.	Yes	
	No	

Any voter who desires to vote in favor of said proposition and to accept such proposition may do so by stamping a cross (X) in the voting square on the right hand margin of his ballot, after and opposite the word "Yes", and after such ballot shall be so stamped and deposited in the ballot box it shall be counted as provided by law as a vote in favor of such proposition and accepting the same.

Any voter who desires to vote against said proposition and to reject such proposition may do so by stamping a cross (X) in the voting square on the right hand margin of the ballot and opposite the word "No"; and after such ballot shall be so stamped and deposited in the ballot box, it shall be canvassed and counted as provided by law as a vote against such proposition and rejecting the same."

Section 7. The manner of voting for or against the proposition of incurring said indebtedness shall be as follows, to-wit:

Any voter who desires to vote for and in favor of said proposition to incur said indebtedness as aforesaid and to accept such proposition may do so at said special election as stated in said form of ticket by stamping a cross (X) in the voting square in the right hand margin of a ballot, received from one of the aforesaid Boards of Election, after and opposite the word "Yes", and after said ballot shall have been so stamped and deposited in the ballot box, it shall be canvassed and counted as required by law as a vote in favor of such proposition and accepting the same.

And any voter who desires to vote against said proposition to incur said indebtedness as aforesaid, and to reject such proposition, may do so at said special election, as stated in said form of ticket, by stamping a cross (X) in the voting square in the right hand margin of his ballot, received from one of the aforesaid Boards of Election, after and opposite the word "No", and after said ballot shall be so stamped and deposited in the ballot box, it shall be canvassed and counted as provided for by law as a vote against such proposition, and rejecting the same.

Such marking or stamping of said cross (X) on said ballot shall be done only with the stamp, which, with necessary pads and ink, shall be provided for each booth in said two designated polling places.

Section 8. All persons qualified, at the time of holding said election, to vote at municipal elections in and for the City of South San Francisco, or entitled by law governing such special election, shall be qualified to vote at such special election.

Section 9. This ordinance shall be published once a week for two (2) weeks in "The Enterprise", a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published and circulated one day a week in said City of South San Francisco. No other notice of such election need be given.

Section 10. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 11. This ordinance shall take effect and shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Introduced this 29th day of October, 1923.

Passed and adopted as an ordinance of the City of South San Francisco at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco this 5th day of November, 1923, by the following vote:

Ayes, Trustees F. A. Cunningham, A. J. Eschelbach, J. W. Pitt, H. Scampini, G. W. Holston.

Noes, Trustees none.

Absent, Trustees none.

G. W. HOLSTON,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco.

Attest:
[Seal] DANIEL McSWEENEY,
Clerk of the City of South San Francisco.

I hereby approve the foregoing ordinance this 5th day of November, 1923.

G. W. HOLSTON,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco.

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PROGRAM—Week of November 18-24

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Wesley Barry in "Heroes of the Streets."
Peerless comedy and cartoon.

Monday and Tuesday

Benny Alexander and Buddy Messenger in "Penrod and Sammy."
Clyde Cook in "The Artist."
News and Topics of the Day.

Wednesday and Thursday

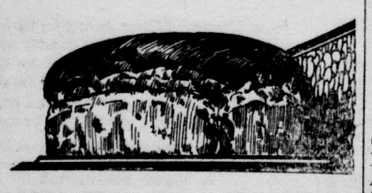
Jacqueline Logan and George Fawcett in "Salomy Jane."
Lloyd Hamilton in "F. O. B."
Review and Fables.

Friday

Gladys Walton in "Crossed Wires."
"The Leather Pushers," round 17.
Comedy, "Why Dogs Leave Home."

Saturday

Madge Bellamy with Oscar the elephant in "Soul of the Beast."
"Beasts of Paradise," No. 4.
Pathe comedy.



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WALL-O'CONNOR WEDDING

Miss Lorraine O'Connor and Robert E. Wall were united in marriage in St. Michael's Church, San Francisco, Nov. 4th. A reception was given at the home of the bride's parents on Evergreen avenue, Daly City. They will make their home in San Francisco. The young couple received many gifts and wishes for their future happiness.

MRS. NILSEN PASSES

On November 6th Elsie Nilsen, dearly beloved wife of Hans Nilsen, passed away in the Morton Hospital in San Francisco after an illness of several days. She was a native of Hanover, Germany, and had resided in Colma about nine years. The funeral was held from the Golden Gate undertaking parlor Thursday morning, with cremation at Mount Olivet chapel. Colma people extend their deepest sympathy to the bebereaved husband.

MISS BERTUCCI WED SUNDAY

On Sunday, November 11th, at 3 p. m., Miss Katherine Bertucci, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bertucci, was married to Edward Bocci of San Francisco in Holy Angels' Church, Colma. The attendants were Miss Albina Bertucci and Nello Bocci. Little Ruth Greene was the flower girl. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents on San Pedro avenue at 6 p. m. The young couple left for Los Angeles, where they will spend several weeks. Mr. Bocci has prepared a beautiful home for his bride in Burlingame.

COLMA LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Greene and children, Ruth and Owen; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Silicani and children, Florin and Albert, and Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Benedetti motored to Rockaway and cooked lunch on the beach Sunday, November 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Benedetti are the proud parents of an eight and a half pound baby gir', born November 5th. Both mother and baby are doing well.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Salada Beach was gladdened by the arrival of a fine baby girl November 2d.

The Darning Club of Colma was entertained by Mrs. Earl Jones recently. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Robert Herringa, Mrs. Carl Schwarzt, Mrs. Jack Callan, Mrs. Henry Lorenz and Mrs. Ellis Johnson.

A whist party will be held in Holy Angels' Hall Thursday evening, November 22d.

A moving concern took pictures on the San Pedro road and ran a touring car over the grade here.

Green Valley in the San Pedro mountains is said to have burned out. The fire started by burning brush.

Mrs. Roland Hughes and children of Calaveras are visiting Mrs. Hughes' mother, Mrs. Rod MacDonald, for several days.

Mrs. Tom Fahey of Brighton Beach was visiting friends here.

The dance given by El Carmelo Parlor, N. D. G. W., Saturday evening, November 3d, in Daly City Auditorium was well attended.

The Belmont coursing season closed October 28th, when Bluest Blue Bill beat Prairie Rover, the English importation, in the finals and took the champion stake. Bluest Blue Bill recently returned from the Waterloo at Sedalia, Mo.

Miss Louise Kollenbaum of Oakland was the week-end guest of Miss Sylvia Haubrich and attended the dance given by El Carmelo Parlor, N. D. G. W.

Misses Gertrude and Mary Amauric, Messrs. Frank Nash, Richard and Adolph Amauric of Oakland were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herringa.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fellows have returned from a honeymoon of several weeks spent in southern California. They are making their home in Daly City. Mrs. Fellows was Miss Madeline Lombard.

San Leandro—600-acre tract in San Ramon valley secured for oil prospecting.

SAN BRUNO

The many friends of the Wedell family will be pleased to learn that their daughter, Miss Rosie, who several months ago underwent a serious operation, as a result of which her life was despaired of, returned to San Bruno last week much improved in health.

A. Samuels of San Francisco has taken a lease on the store room of the Noyer building on San Bruno avenue, where he will open a restaurant and soft drink place.

The Chainey family of Wallace, Idaho, relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis of Huntington Park, have rented the Novyko place in the same section.

Sunday, Nov. 4th, Miss Margaret Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Schmidt of San Mateo avenue. and Charles Fischer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fischer of San Bruno Park, were united in marriage by the Rev. A. Engelbrecht of the local St. John's Evangelical Church. The young couple immediately started on a honeymoon trip. After their return they will go to housekeeping in the new cottage of Mrs. Kingston in First Addition.

The many friends of George Rafter of Belle Air Park will be grieved to learn that his brother, Frank, lies critically ill at St. Luke's Hospital in San Francisco after a serious operation on his throat.

Mrs. Schweinhardt of Fairfax, a former resident of San Bruno, is the guest of Mrs. N. Nasits of First Addition.

Both approaches to the Angus avenue railroad crossing are now completed, and the street will be opened to traffic as soon as the warning signals required by law are put in place.

The Schaukowitch family are now comfortably located in their new home on Green avenue, recently acquired.

R. L. Jacobson of Fourth Addition and Toni Figueredo of Belle Air Park spent Saturday and Sunday, November 3d and 4th, in Colusa county, duck hunting.

The turkey whist of San Bruno Camp, W. O. W., will be held Thursday, November 22d, at N. D. Hall. The drawing for the $20 gold piece, postponed from September 22d, will take place on this occasion.

The members of St. Bruno's Catholic Church are highly elated over the financial success of their bazaar given at N. D. Hall.

At the advertised mass meeting at Edgemont school Tuesday evening for the purpose of determining whether or not the city of San Bruno should buy the city hall property, now owned by San Bruno school district, the matter was decided in the affirmative. Immediately the transfer becomes effective, necessary improvements and alterations will be made and a city jail built.

While playing football young Ernest Klevesahl of Belle Air Park came to grief, as he fell, cutting his left hand with a piece of glass, necessitating medical attention. As a result, Ernest will be carrying the injured member in a sling for a while.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo. No. 3245.

In the Matter of the Estate of George Checchi, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of George Checchi, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the law office of J. W. Coleberd, Bank Building, South San Francisco, San Mateo County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 1st day of November, A. D. 1923.

GIOVANNI CHECCHI,
Administrator of the estate of George Checchi, deceased.
J. W. COLEBERD, Attorney for Administrator.
First publication in The Enterprise, November 1, 1923. 11-1-5t

NOTICE OF FILING OF ASSESSMENT AND TIME OF HEARING.

No. 51.

Notice is hereby given that the Superintendent of Streets of the City of South San Francisco did, on the 2nd day of November, 1923, file in the office of the undersigned, City Clerk of said city, an assessment made by said Superintendent of Streets to cover the costs and expenses of the work done under and pursuant to Resolution of Intention No. 51, passed and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco on the 2nd day of April, 1923, for the improvement of Swift Avenue from the easterly boundary line of the right of way of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company to a line drawn at right angles to the south boundary line of Swift Avenue at a point in said south boundary line 525 feet easterly from the angle point in the southerly line of Swift Avenue immediately easterly from the southerly termination of Allerton Avenue, on the southerly side thereof, but excepting such portions of said avenue as are required by law to be kept in repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and under the contract therefor heretofore entered into by him with John J. Granfield and Arthur Granfield, and that I hereby fix Monday, the 3rd day of December, 1923, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m. and the Council Chamber of the Board of Trustees of said city in the City Hall of said city as the time and place when and where all persons interested in the work done thereunder or in said assessment will be heard by said board. The owners, the contractors or their assigns, and all persons interested in said work or in said assessment, feeling aggrieved by any act or determination of the Superintendent of Streets or City Engineer, in relation thereto, or who claim that the work has not been performed according to the contract in a good and substantial manner, or who claim that any portion of the work for any reason was omitted or illegally included in the contract for same, or having or making any objection to the correctness of the assessment or diagram or other act, determination or proceedings of the Superintendent of Streets, or City Engineer, shall prior to the day so fixed for hearing upon the assessment, appeal to said Board of Trustees by briefly stating in writing the grounds of appeal. For a description of said work and of the assessment district therein described and for other particulars reference is hereby made to Resolution of Intention No. 51.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments and bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum will be issued hereunder in the manner specified in the "Improvement Bond Act of 1915" and the amendments thereto, the last installment of which bonds shall mature nine (9) years from the 2nd day of July next succeeding nine (9) months from their date.

Except as otherwise provided for the issuance of bonds, said work has been done pursuant to the act of the Legislature of the State of California, designated as the "Improvement Act of 1911", approved April 7, 1911, and the amendments thereto.

Dated November 6th, 1923.

DANIEL McSWEENEY,
City Clerk.
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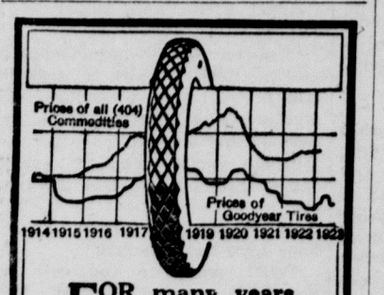

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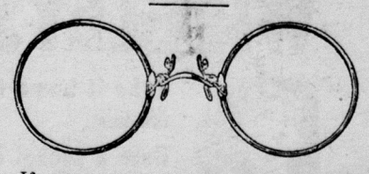

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The BROWN MOUSE

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CHAPTER X—Continued.

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"Incompetency!" The disgraceful word, representing everything he had always despised, rang through Jim's mind as he walked home. He could think of nothing else as he sat at the simple supper which he could scarcely taste. Incompetent! He was incompetent. He picked up a pen, and began writing. He wrote, "To the Honorable the Board of Education of the Independent District of ———," And he heard a tap at the door. His mother admitted Colonel Woodruff.

"Good evening, Colonel," said Jim. "Take a chair, won't you?"

"No," replied the colonel. "I thought I'd see if you and the boys at the schoolhouse can't tell me something about the smut in my wheat. I heard you were going to work on that tonight."

"I had forgotten!" said Jim.

"I wondered if you hadn't," said the colonel, "and so I came by for you. I was waiting up the road. Come on, and ride up with me."

The colonel had always been friendly, but there was a new note in his manner tonight. He was almost deferential. He worked with the class on the problem of smut. He offered to aid the boys in every possible way in their campaign against scab in potatoes. He suggested some tests which would show the real value of the treatment. The boys were in a glow of pride at this co-operation with Colonel Woodruff. This was real work! Jim and the colonel went away together. It had been a great evening.

"Jim," said the colonel, "can these kids spell?"

"I think," said Jim, "that they can outspell any school about here."

"Good," said the colonel. "How are they about arithmetic and the other branches? Have you sort of kept them up to the course of study?"

"I have carried them in a course parallel to the textbooks," said Jim, "and covering the same ground. But it has been vocational work, you know—related to life."

"Well," said the colonel, "if I were you, I'd put them over a rapid review of the textbooks for a few days—say between now and the twenty-fifth."

"What for?"

"Oh, nothing—just to please me. . . And say, Jim, I glanced over a communication you have started to the more or less Honorable Board of Education."

"Yes?"

"Well, don't finish it. . . . And say, Jim, I think I'll give myself the luxury of being a wild-eyed reformer for once."

"Yes," said Jim, dazed.

"And if you think, Jim, that you've got no friends, just remember that I'm for you."

"Thank you, Colonel."

"And we'll show them they're in a horse race."

"I don't see . . ." said Jim.

"You're not supposed to see," said the colonel, "but you can bet that we'll be with them at the finish; and, by thunder! while they're getting a full meal, we'll get at least a lunch. See?"

"But Jennie says," began Jim.

"Don't tell me what she says," said the colonel. "She's acting according to her judgment, and her lights and other organs of perception, and I don't think it fittin' that her father should try to influence her official conduct. But you go on and review them common branches, and keep your nerve. I haven't felt so much like a scrap since the day we stormed Lookout mountain. I kinder like being a wild-eyed reformer, Jim."

CHAPTER XI

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Fame or Notoriety.

The office of county superintendent was, as a matter of course, the least desirable room of the courthouse. Poor Jennie! She anticipated nothing more than the appearance of Messrs. Bronson, Peterson and Bonner in her office to confront Jim Irwin. But at nine fifty-six the crowd in Jennie's office exceeded its seating capacity, and Jennie was in a flutter as the realization dawned upon her that this promised to be a bigger and more public affair than she had anticipated.

At nine fifty-nine Raymond Simms opened the office door and there filed in enough children, large and small, to fill the room. In addition there remained an overflow meeting in the hall, under the command of that distinguished military gentleman, Colonel Albert Woodruff.

"Say, Bill, come here," said the colonel, crooking his finger at the deputy sheriff.

"What you got here, Al!" said Bill, coming up the stairs, puffing. "Ain't it a little early for Sunday school picnics?"

"This is a school fight in our district," said the colonel. "It's Jennie's baptism of fire, I reckon . . . and say, you're not using the courtroom, are you?"

"Nope," said Bill.

"Well, why not just slip around, then," said the colonel, "and tell Jennie she'd better adjourn to the big room."

Which suggestion was acted upon instanter by Deputy Bill.

"But I can't, I can't," said Jennie to the courteous deputy sheriff. "I don't want all this publicity, and I don't want to go into the courtroom."

"I hardly see," said Deputy Bill, "how you can avoid it. These people seem to have business with you, and they can't get into your office."

Jennie quailed. "All right, all right!" said she. "But, shall I have to sit on the bench!"

"You will find it by far the most convenient place," said Deputy Bill.

Was this the life to which public office had brought her? She was perched on the judicial bench, which Deputy Bill had dusted off for her, tipping a wink to the assemblage while doing it. And that crowd! To Jennie it was appalling. The school board under the lead of Wilbur Smythe took seats inside the railing. Jim Irwin, who had never been in a courtroom before, herded with the crowd.

She couldn't call the gathering to order. She had no idea as to the proper procedure. She sat there while the people gathered, stood about whispering and talking under their breaths, and finally became silent, all their eyes fixed on her, as she wished that the office of county superintendent had been abolished in the days of her parents' infancy.

"May it please the court," said Wilbur Smythe, standing before the bar. "Or, Madame County Superintendent, I should say . . ."

A titter ran through the room, and a flush of temper tinted Jennie's face. They were laughing at her! She wouldn't be a spectacle any longer! So she rose, and handed down her first and last decision from the bench—a rather good one, I think.

"Mr. Smythe," said she, "I feel very ill at ease up here, and I'm going to

"Madame County Superintendent, I Should Say—"

get down among the people. It's the only way I have of getting the truth."

She descended from the bench, shook hands with everybody near her, and sat down by the attorney's table.

"Now," said she, "this is no formal proceeding and we will dispense with red tape. If we don't, I shall get all tangled up in it. Where's Mr. Irwin? Please come in here, Jim. Now, I know there's some feeling in these things—there always seems to be; but I have none. So I'll just hear why Mr. Bronson, Mr. Peterson and Mr. Bonner think that Mr. James E. Irwin isn't competent to hold a certificate."

Jennie was able to smile at them now, and everybody felt more at ease, save Jim Irwin, the members of the board and Wilbur Smythe. That individual arose, and talked down at Jennie.

"I appear for the proponents here," said he, "and I desire to suggest certain principles of procedure which I take it belong indisputably to the conduct of this hearing."

"Have you a lawyer?" asked the county superintendent of the respondent.

"A what?" exclaimed Jim. "Nobody here has a lawyer!"

"Well, what do you call Wilbur Smythe?" queried Newton Bronson from the midst of the crowd.

"He ain't lawyer enough to hurt!" said the thing which the dramatists call A Voice.

There was a little tempest of laughter at Wilbur Smythe's expense, which was quelled by Jennie's rapping on the table. She was beginning to feel the mouth of the situation.

"There is nothing in the school laws, as I remember them," said Jennie, "giving the parties any right to be represented by counsel. You may advise your clients all you please, but I'm not going to waste time in listening to speeches, or having a lot of lawyers examine witnesses."

"I protest," said Mr. Smythe.

"Well, you may file your protest in writing," said Jennie. "I'm going to talk this matter over with these old friends and neighbors of mine. I don't want you dipping into it, I say!"

Jennie's voice was rising toward the scream-line, and Mr. Smythe recognized the hand of fate. There was a little wrangling, and a little protest from Con Bonner, but Jennie ruled with a rod of iron, and adhered to her ruling. When the hearing was resumed after the noon recess, the crowd was larger than ever, but the proceedings consisted mainly in a conference of the principals grouped about Jennie at the big lawyers' table. They were talking about the methods adopted by Jim in his conduct of the Woodruff school—just talking. The only new thing was the presence of a couple of newspaper men, who had queried Chicago papers on the story, and been given orders for a certain number of words on the case of the farm-hand schoolmaster on trial before his old sweetheart.

By the time at which gathering darkness made it necessary for the bailiff to light the lamps, the parties had agreed on the facts. Jim admitted most of the allegations. He had practically ignored the textbooks. He had burned the district fuel and worn out the district furniture early and late, and on Saturdays. He had introduced domestic economy and manual training, to some extent, by sending the boys to the workshops and the girls to the kitchens and sewing-rooms of the farmers who allowed those privileges.

He had used up a great deal of time in studying farm conditions. He had induced the boys to test the cows of the district for butterfat yield. He was studying the matter of a co-operative creamery.

He hoped to open to the boys and girls the wonders of the universe which are touched by the work on the farm. He hoped to make good and contented farmers of them, able to get the most out of the soil, to sell what they produced to the best advantage, and at the same time to keep up the fertility of the soil itself. And he hoped to teach the girls in such a way that they would be good and contented farmers' wives.

"An' I say," interposed Con Bonner, "that we can rest our case right here. If that ain't the limit, I don't know what is!"

Jennie turned to Jim.

"Now, Mr. Irwin," said she, "while you have been following out these very interesting and original methods, what have you done in the way of teaching the things called for by the course of study?"

"I'm willing," said Jim, "to stand or fall on an examination of these children in the very textbooks we are accused of neglecting."

Jennie looked steadily at Jim for a full minute.

"How many pupils of the Woodruff school are here?" she asked. "All rise, please!"

A mass of the audience, in the midst of which sat Jennie's father, rose at the request.

"Why," said Jennie, "I should say we had a quorum, anyhow! We'll have school here. And Mr. Irwin, please remember that you state that you'll stand or fall on the mastery by these pupils of the textbooks they are supposed to have neglected."

"Not the mastery of the text," said Jim. "But their ability to do the work the text is supposed to fit them for."

"Well," said Jennie, "I don't know but that's fair."

"But," said Mrs. Haakon Peterson, "we don't want our children brought up to be yust farmers. Suppose we move to town—where does the culture come in?"

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The Chicago papers had a news item which covered the result of the examinations; but the great sensation of the Woodruff district lay in the Sunday feature carried by one of them.

It had a picture of Jim Irwin, and one of Jennie Woodruff—the latter authentic, and the former gleaned from the morgue, and apparently the portrait of a lumber-jack. There was also a very free treatment by the cartoonist of Mr. Simms carrying a rifle with the intention of shooting up the school board in case the decision went against the schoolmaster.

"When it became known," said the news story, "that the schoolmaster had bet his job on the proficiency of his school in studies supposed and alleged to have been studiously neglected, the excitement rose to fever heat. Local sports bet freely on the result, the odds being eight to five on General Proficiency against the field. The field was Jim Irwin and his school. And the way those rural kids rose in their might and ate up the textbooks was simply scandalous. When the fight was over, and the dead and wounded cared for, the school board and the county superintendent were forced to admit that they wished the average school could do as well under a similar test.

"The local Mr. Dooley is Cornelius Bonner, a member of the 'board.' When asked for a statement of his views after the county superintendent had decided that her old sweetheart was to be allowed the priceless boon of earning forty dollars a month during the remainder of his contract, Mr. Bonner said, 'Aside from being licked, we're all right. But we'll get this guy yet, don't fall down and fergit that!'

"'The examinations tind to show,' said Mr. Bonner, when asked for his opinion on the result, 'that in or-r-rder to larn anything you shud shtudy somethin' lise. But we'll git this guy yit!'"

"Jim," said Colonel Woodruff, as they rode home together, "I'm just beginning to understand what you're driving at. And I like being a wild-eyed reformer more and more."

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Voracious Japanese Beetle.

The Japanese beetle attacks over 200 species of plants, including most of the cultivated fruit trees, corn, beans and various shade and ornamental trees.

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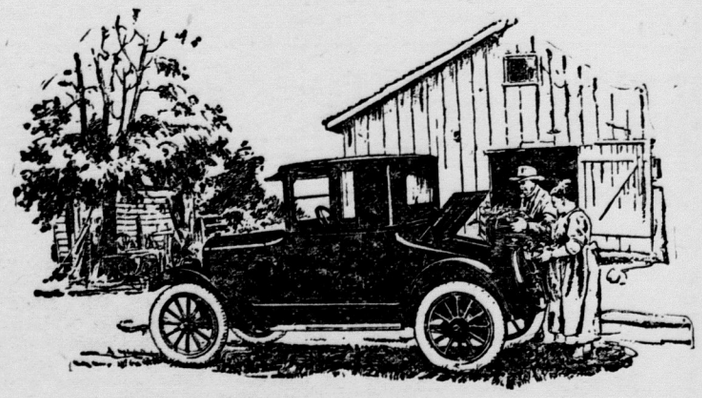

EVERY farm needs two automobiles, one of which should be a closed model Chevrolet.

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These underground chambers are reached by winding stairways, also hewn from the rock. They were originally built to provide a refuge from the intense heat of midsummer, but in many instances they have now become a refuge for Arab criminals and robbers who dwell at Nejef and prey on the caravans of Mecca pilgrims.

Nejef itself is a great pilgrim city, and each year thousands of devotees from Persia and Turkestan make the journey to the holy Nejef, bringing with them the salted and dried bodies of their dead for burial in sacred soil outside the city walls. Here a vast city of tombs has grown up.—Detroit News.

A Good Marksman.

Bill Taylor was a particularly tall, thin person; in fact, certain of his friends referred to him as "Bones."

One night a number of his jolly acquaintances joined him in a party. In an unguarded moment one of them drew a revolver, it became accidentally discharged, and the bullet struck Taylor in the leg. Terrified, the owner of the weapon hastened to the house of the nearest doctor.

"I have just shot Bill Taylor in the leg!" he exclaimed. "Come quick!"

But the doctor paused on the threshold, viewing the man with admiring eyes. "You mean to say that you actually shot Bill Taylor in the leg?"

"Yes."

"Then all I have to say is that it was a mighty good shot," was the doctor's response, as he prepared to go to Bill.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Man's Ignorance.

A man is never astonished or ashamed that he doesn't know what another does, but he is surprised at the ignorance of the other in not knowing what he does.

In the Band.

"Mother, where is the frying pan?"

"We can't keep any kitchen utensils since your brother got musical."

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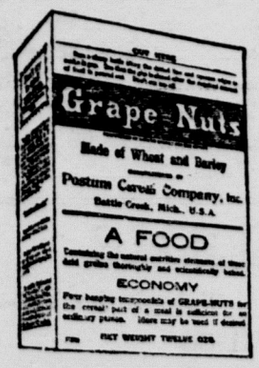

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Our Christmas Days as They Used to Be

SOMETIMES it seems as if the "elder days" were the best. Think of their Christmases! Where is the grace and generosity of those times? The warm welcome, the large cordiality, the mellow fun of innocent celebrations?

Perhaps we look back through the softening glow of distance, but there is a romance, a delicate, fine flavor of something which indeed seems lost to us now.

How the neighbors rode through the snow on horseback to large gatherings! How the pretty girls were muffled in rugs and furs, skimming over the road in sleighs! How the bells rippled and rang! And how the wide doors flew open to greet these guests!

Light of candles . . . breath of pine wreaths . . . sprigs of holly . . . and the high thrill of holiday thoughts.

Laughing faces . . . graceful and the Virginia reel in the evening.

It is a heartsome thing to think about. Let us try to insert some of this gentle beauty and spirit into our Christmas day. We have not the leisure and spaciousness of those times, but hearts can reflect just as truly the invisible yet invincible power of love and loveliness!—Martha B. Thomas.

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Old Yuletide Hymn Favorite Everywhere

THERE is scarcely a church of any denomination that does not some time during the Christmas season echo to the strains of that beautiful and soul-inspiring hymn, "O, come all ye faithful." It seems to be a favorite at Yuletide in every land and in every clime, whether it is sung as above referred to, or in its original form as the "Adeste Fidelis."

The hymn was first given to the world in the Thirteenth century by a Franciscan monk, but did not gain world-wide popularity for a long time after. The English translation was made by Canon Frederick Oakley over sixty years ago. Since that time the hymn has been translated into the language of every nation and the sweet and lofty words ring out at Christmas time in many remote places.

But while the English translation has superseded the original Latin to a great extent, yet the beauty of the original composition is such that there are many who still prefer to hear it even though the language is not their own.—Katherine Edelman.

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Gifts for a Hostess

A pretty set of card table numbers, especially when made by the donor, will please every hostess. Here is a set, made of heavy black paper, cut into three-inch squares and having pictures of girls' heads pasted against the painted numbers. A fine silk cord, supporting a tiny pencil, is fastened through a hole punched in a corner of each card.

Christmas March Was Played by Minister

THE minister had hung up his stocking, too. The sprites that put into it a candy cane, a lollipop, a ball, an apple and a motor car that would go, had added a mouth organ, most appropriate and perhaps most needed of all gifts, for what other mouth should so dispense harmony?

Then, after breakfast, came the procession into the parlor and unto the wonderful tree. First, little Sarah, with the early and aided steps of her one year and the big eyes of her first Christmas tree. Then demure Helen, blowing her own horn for once, then big Sarah and all the uncles, aunts and cousins, then father and mother, and then the minister, playing his new march upon his new organ.

When they were all seated in the happy circle they asked for the words of that new tune and here they are:

If birds could sing in Christmas trees,
If they could hum with happy bees,
If they were sweet with all the spice
Of all things beautiful and nice,
They could not altogether be
More full of love than this, our tree.
Chorus.—March, march to the Christmas tree,
It has a loving gift for thee.

Then they all sang it, after which the beautiful tree yielded its fruit.—Christopher G. Hazard.

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Christmas Telegrams Add Yuletide Cheer

HE WAS always busy, always rushing, always hurrying. He always had so many things to attend to and so many people were constantly pressing it upon his time with this demand, with that, which required attention.

He wished he could see more of his friends. His frieds wished they could see more of him. He was the sort they would like to see more of and at times they were a little annoyed that he was so busy.

He was busier than was really normal. They said he had no time for the pleasant things of life and that he could neither enjoy things himself nor could he be enjoyed because he was always having so much to do.

But he took time for one thing. He never failed to take time for it.

Every Christmas he sent all his friends beautiful Christmas telegrams of cheer. He thought of them and he remembered them and every Christmas morning as his friends opened their gay Christmas telegrams they would say:

"He always finds time to think of me on Christmas morning, anway! What a pleasure this is!"—Mary Graham Bonner.

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REAL SPIRIT

IF THE real spirit of Christmas is within us we will, indeed, find that it is more blessed to give than to receive, and we will give out of the fullness of our hearts and because of the joy that giving brings us, instead of from any other motive. So to get the real joy of giving and to receive the richness of the Christmas spirit in fullest measure, give because your heart prompts you to and forget all else.—Katherine Edelman.

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"It Is More Blessed to Give Than Receive"

THIS has nothing to do with banks or savings accounts; but more money is saved at Christmas time than any other time of the year. Yes, saved. That may sound absurd to a lot of people who have spent all their money buying presents for their families and friends and neighbors, but it is true just the same. How? Why, because giving is the finest sort of saving, and not only saving, but investing. Every good gift is a permanent gain to the giver; it is better than a bank book carrying the same amount, for a gift is more truly a saving than credit account on a bank ledger. If you want to save your money, give it away—wisely. Does that sound unreasonable? Remember, it is more blessed to give than receive.—F. H. Sweet.

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You may not believe in the old saws, but some of them have sharp teeth.

The average girl seems to prefer to spoon with a fashion plate.

A girl in the courthouse thinks "The New Freedom" is a story about divorces.

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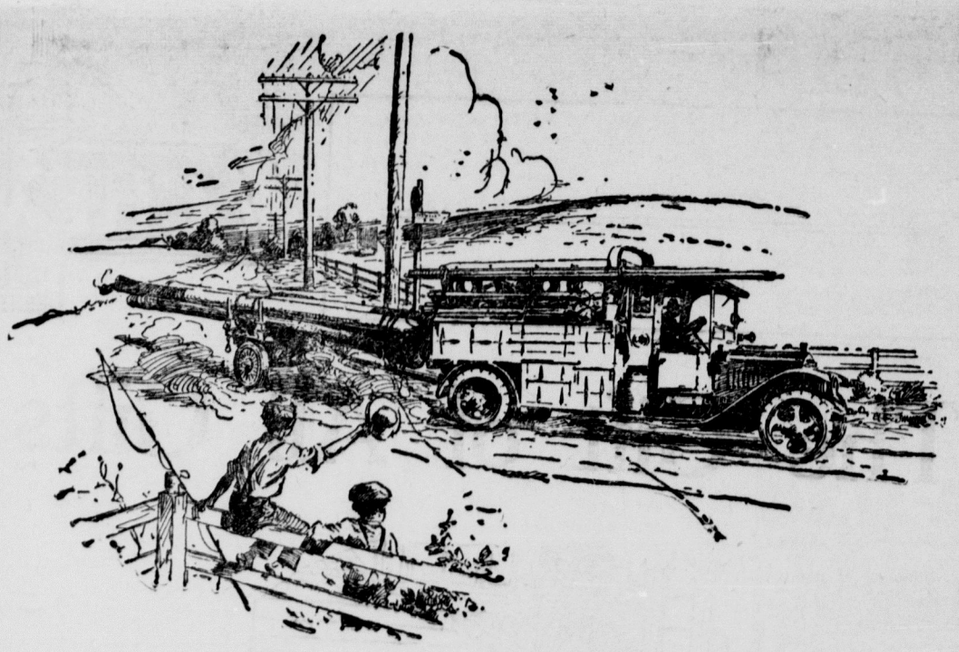

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MRS. LARKIN is a little old lady who lives in a red house just over the hill. The children troop by her door-yard every day on their way to school. They always look up at her windows, for Mrs. Larkin is sure to be at one of them, nodding and smiling in the pleasantest fashion.

Mrs. Larkin has cookies in jars and Mrs. Larkin can knit red mittens faster than anybody else in town. Both cookies and mittens find their way to the mouths and hands of half the children in the village.

At Christmas time, the little old lady is busier than ever. But the nicest thing about her is the expression on her face. To say it shines, does not half describe the brightness of it. One day Tilly Tinker said to her:

"What makes your face like a candle, Mrs. Larkin?"

"Bless you, Tilly!" laughed the little old lady, "What do you mean?"

Tilly had difficulty in explaining, but she finally succeeded in making Mrs. Larkin understand what she meant by comparing her face to a candle.

"I'll tell you a secret," said the little old lady in a whisper: "At Christmas time I always pretend I'm looking at a Christmas tree! A tree with a thousand candles, everyone lighted! So perhaps some of them are reflected on my face. It's a fine way to keep a face looking happy. Just try it yourself!"

Perhaps Mrs. Larkin found the best recipe for happiness—she filled her hands with good works and her mind with the brightness of lighted candles. —Martha B. Thomas.

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Christmas, the Snow and the Sleigh Ride

IT WAS Christmas night. The moon was shining and the snow sparkled like diamonds more rare and wonderful than are ever seen in a jewelry shop. The bells jingled, the frosty air seemed to say in its cool, cheery way: "I'm here. I brush against your faces so you can feel me and my cold, bracing ways."

And the sleigh went merrily along. Inside the sleigh were a man and a girl. And they were saying things which may not sound new to you.

"There is nothing in the world like love," was one of the things they said.

"And to be in love, and sleigh-riding on Christmas night after a perfect Christmas day—there is nothing in the world like it."

But it was as beautiful to them as though no one else had ever said these things. For beauty is not dependent upon novelty. It depends on something far deeper and truer.

There is nothing new about love.

There is nothing new about Christmas.

But that doesn't make either of them any less wonderful!—Mary Graham Bonner.

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Beat Beauty Parlor for Christmas Time

WE BUY wreathes for the window, tinsel for the Christmas tree, holly for packages and flowers for the table, but what about giving some attention to our faces?

Have you ever thought about that?

Dress your face up in a smile,
Wear it late and early,
It puts the sunshine in your eyes,
And makes your hair look curly!

There is an undeniable magic in happiness—it beautifies!

Happiness makes holiday in the heart, and the face reflects it.

Better than a thousand candles is the light of cheer.

"J-O-Y" is the sign that hangs over the best beauty parlor, and it serves men as well as women. If you would become handsome, become joyous first.

And joy comes from living and giving with kindliness and good-will!—Martha B. Thomas.

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Card Table Covers

Hostesses are enthusiastic over the new card table covers, made of black sateen and gayly decorated with applique flowers cut from colored bits of silk or cotton fabrics. Silk floss outlines the flowers, and black braid or ribbon provides the ties for the corners.

Beauty of the Snow at the Yule Season

THE beauty of snow is not on wide, glaring expanses, on level, unbroken plains. The eye could not endure, nor the heart accept, the blinding monotony of such conditions.

The beauty of snow lies in contrast. Who has not seen long, bluish shadows creep over it at sunset? Or marked with delight, the thin pencilings of bare branches shifting over its surface by moonlight? Snow requires changes, interruptions, so to speak, to bring out its character. The ruggedness of hills makes the valleys yet more peaceful. The stark, rough "glory of the trees" lends decision to a landscape; the thinnest, wind-whipped edges weave patterns of indescribable frailty on the pages of the snow.

So it is with Christmas. We could hardly live up to Christmas every day in the year. The whole meaning would become worn and threadbare through constant association. When it does come, it should stand out by contrast, in great and shining beauty. The worries, fruits, failures and disappointments of the months just gone should lend the proper "shadowing," so that the purity of the day stands out in white distinction.

And if the heart must ache a little, as all hearts do no matter how great the happiness, let the pain be the pencilings of branches on the matchless page of Christmas, giving it added beauty and character.—Martha B. Thomas.

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Magic of Christmas Sweeps Entire World

THE magic of Christmas lies over the world today, changing the dreary commonplace events of yesterday into things of wonder and delight and filling the earth with happiness and joy and cheer. It permeates the whole earth from end to end and mankind in every land and in every clime responds to it in the fullest measure. For into our hearts at this time there comes a beautiful something that raises us above ourselves and brings us to greater heights than we ever reach at any other time. For with the magic of Christmas time man buries self in trying to promote the happiness and well-being of others and in doing this finds greatest happiness for himself also. For it seems as if the more we give of love, of service and of ourselves the fuller grows the store from which we draw upon and the richer we grow in the things that make for our own happiness. Let us then allow the magic of Christmastime to fall upon us so deeply that it may not only stay with us at this time but through all the days to follow.—Katherine Edelman.

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UNDER THE OUTSIDE

GRASS keeps green under the snow. Delicate blossoms hide away in ugly seeds. Who can believe the twisted apple-tree will be lost in a surf of pink petals in the spring?

There must be many a warm and true heart cased in a frosty exterior.

If we believed more in the covered, and less in the covering, we should make Christmas a day truly bright with peace and good will.—Martha B. Thomas.

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Bringing in the Yule Log for a Merry Feast

ONE of the most delightful of the Christmas ceremonies was bringing in the Yule-log. According to an English writer, this was a massive piece of wood, frequently the rugged and grotesquely marked root of a tree. It was drawn through the forest with shouting and laughter, while each wayfarer reverently saluted it, since he knew it to be full of good promises and that in its flames would be burnt out old wrongs and heart-burnings. As it came into the great hall, the living-room of the old castle, each member of the family sat upon or saluted it in turn, and sang a Yule-song, after which all drank to a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. A favorite Yule-song began with:

Welcome be ye that are here,
Welcome all, and make good cheer,
Welcome all, another year,
Welcome Yule.

—F. H. Sweet.

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A FAIR EXCHANGE

Laura and Tommy often had important discussions on serious subjects. Christmas evening found them in grave colloquy. There seemed to be a slight ambiguity about who gave them gifts, God or their father. It was a matter which could not be settled. Finally Laura said in a superior tone:

"You know, Tommy, that daddy isn't our only father; we have two."

Tommy appeared surprised. "Who's the other one?" he asked.

"God!" answered Laura succinctly.

Tommy gave the occasion much reflection. Then he said earnestly:

"Well, I wish Daddy would go to heaven for a while and let God come down and stay with us—I'd like to get acquainted!"—M. B. Thomas.

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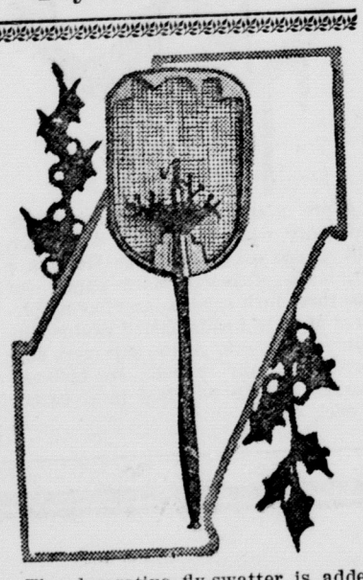
Painted Toilet Sets

Plain white brushes and combs for gifts are enhanced by pretty sprays of flowers done in sealing wax paints, and small tin boxes are made decorative by covering them with the melted wax in varied colors, blended into one another while they are soft.

Fly-Swatter Gift



The decorative fly-swatter is added to the list of useful things appropriate for Christmas gifts—and here it is, shown with bright red yarn buttonhole stitched about the edge and having a basket of red and black yarn, filled with little flowers and foliage, done in gay colors (in cross-stitch) just above the end of the handle.

INDUSTRIAL NEWS FROM ALL OVER CALIFORNIA

Oakland—Water company to spend $2,250,000 improving entire east bay district.

McKittrick—Eight-mile narrow-gauge railroad to be constructed from Soda Lake to foot of Temblor grade.

Lankershim—Lankershim Milling Company starts construction of 10,000 milling plant.

Fresno—Construction of Pine Flat project, including 50,000-kilowatt power plant, at combined cost of $15,000,000 assured.

Los Angeles—New $500,000 motion picture theater to be built at Tenth street and Western avenue.

Santa Monica—New 600-room hotel to cost $2,000,000 will be erected here.

Hollywood—Building site sells for $150,000 on which will rise twelve-story hotel.

Lake View—Southern Pacific to start work within thirty days on $3,000,000 tunnel to summit.

Merced—Twenty carloads of machinery en route for constructing plant of Yosemite-Portland Cement Company.

Culver City—Proposed construction of $500,000 hotel announced.

Long Beach—$1,000,000 twelve-story bank building to be erected.

Los Angeles—Improvements contemplated for Leighton Hotel property to cost $1,000,000.

Ocean Pier—$1,000,000 to be spent on Pickering Pleasure Pier.

Macdoel—$594,000 bond issue sold for development Butte Valley irrigation district.

Los Angeles—Santa Fe, completing biggest summer passenger business on record, making plans to stimulate travel.

McFarland—Division No. 7 of Kern irrigation and water storage district, comprising 45,000 acres, being organized.

El Monte—Six-unit bungalow court to be erected on Columbia street.

Dunsmuir—Site purchased near Shasta Springs for establishment of $250,000 fox farm.

Pomona—Construction of $16,000 tile manufacturing plant started.

Los Angeles—California Fruit Ship Line, capitalized $22,000,000, organized to carry state's perishable products to east coast points.

Redding—Mines and smelter of Mountain Copper Company to resume operations.

Barstow—Western Pacific Oil Company strikes oil at 2000-foot depth.

Cloverdale—Blake, Moffitt & Towne, paper merchants of San Francisco, to open local branch.

Signal Hill—Mile-deep well comes in with approximate production of 10,000 barrels.

Vallejo—Pier No. 1 of $4,000,000 Carquinez bridge formally anchored.

Lankershim—Approximately $90,000 to be distributed to district walnut growers for this year's crop.

Lakeport—$25,000 bond election to be held for construction of new school buildings.

CHEVROLET

The Gift of All Gifts on Christmas Morning!

Roadster - $625.00 Here
Touring - 635.00 "
Coupe - 830.00 "
Sedan - 990.00 "

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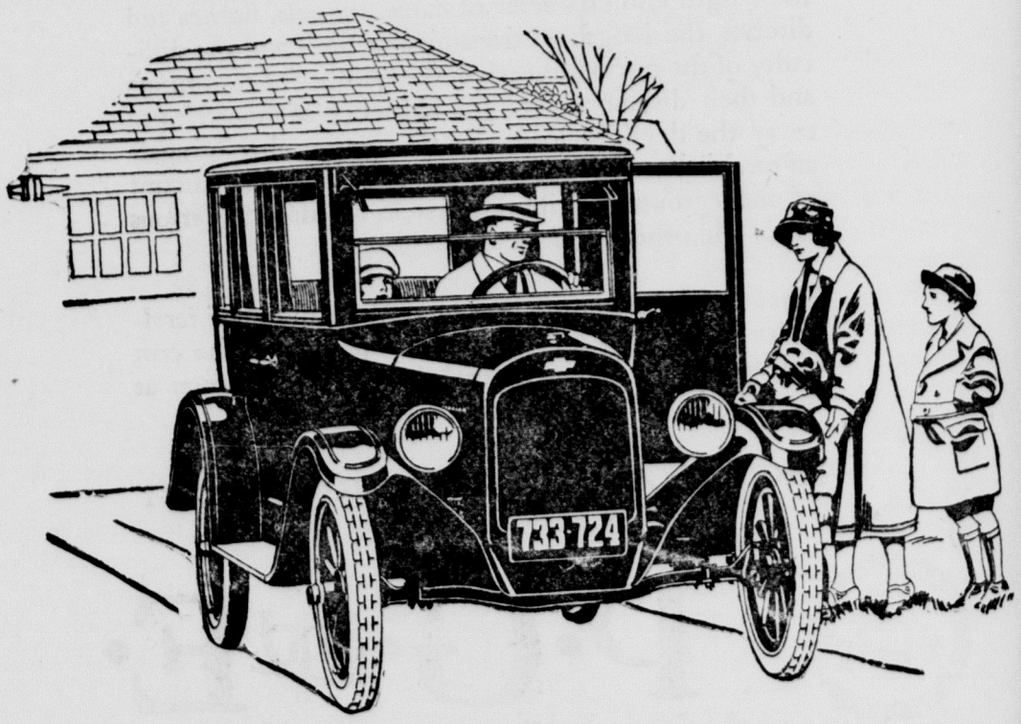
During the Christmas holidays we have made special arrangements to give unusually low terms with payments as low as $7 per week.

COME TO OUR SALESROOM
LOOK OVER THE DIFFERENT MODELS

SELECT YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT NOW!



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A California Case

W. A. Williams, 205 S. Milton Ave., Whittier, Calif., says: "My kidneys got out of fix and I had a dull ache in my back. I had such a soreness across my kidneys, I could hardly stoop or do any lifting. My kidneys didn't act right, either. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they relieved the severe aching through my back and regulated my kidneys."

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Cures Colds in 24 Hours La Grippe in 3 Days

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SAFE SURE DEPENDABLE

The New Song.

When you're young you hear the name of the new song long before you hear it sung and whistled; when you are old, you hear it sung and whistled long before you hear its name.

WOMEN! DYE FADED THINGS NEW AGAIN

Dye or Tint Any Worn, Shabby Garment or Drapery.

Diamond Dyes

Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded thing new, even if she has never dyed before. Choose any color at drug store.—Advertisement.

American Matting.

The best American matting is made from slough grass, growing wild on the plains of Minnesota and Wisconsin.

GIRLS! HAIR GROWS THICK AND BEAUTIFUL

35-Cent "Danderine" Does Wonders for Lifeless, Neglected Hair.

A gleamy mass of luxuriant hair full of gloss, luster and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalps with dependable "Danderine."

Falling hair, itching scalp and the dandruff is corrected immediately. Thin, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Danderine" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing, stimulating tonic—not sticky or greasy! Any drug store.—Advertisement.

Full Credit.

"Jobson gives his wife credit for what he is."

"What is he?"

"Bankrupt."

Cuticura for Sore Hands.

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Advertisement.

Without Stabilizer.

"Brown is another one of those single-track minds."

"Yes, and it's a monorail at that."

Sore and inflamed eyes, sties and granulations healed promptly by nightly use of Roman Eye Balsam. 35 cents. Adv.

A profile photograph is merely a sideshow.

No fur coat can look stunning in a rainstorm.

If it is only about a hat, men will take advice.

PREVENT FLU Stop Your Coughs and Colds

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

ESTABLISHED 1875

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REFUSE SUBSTITUTES

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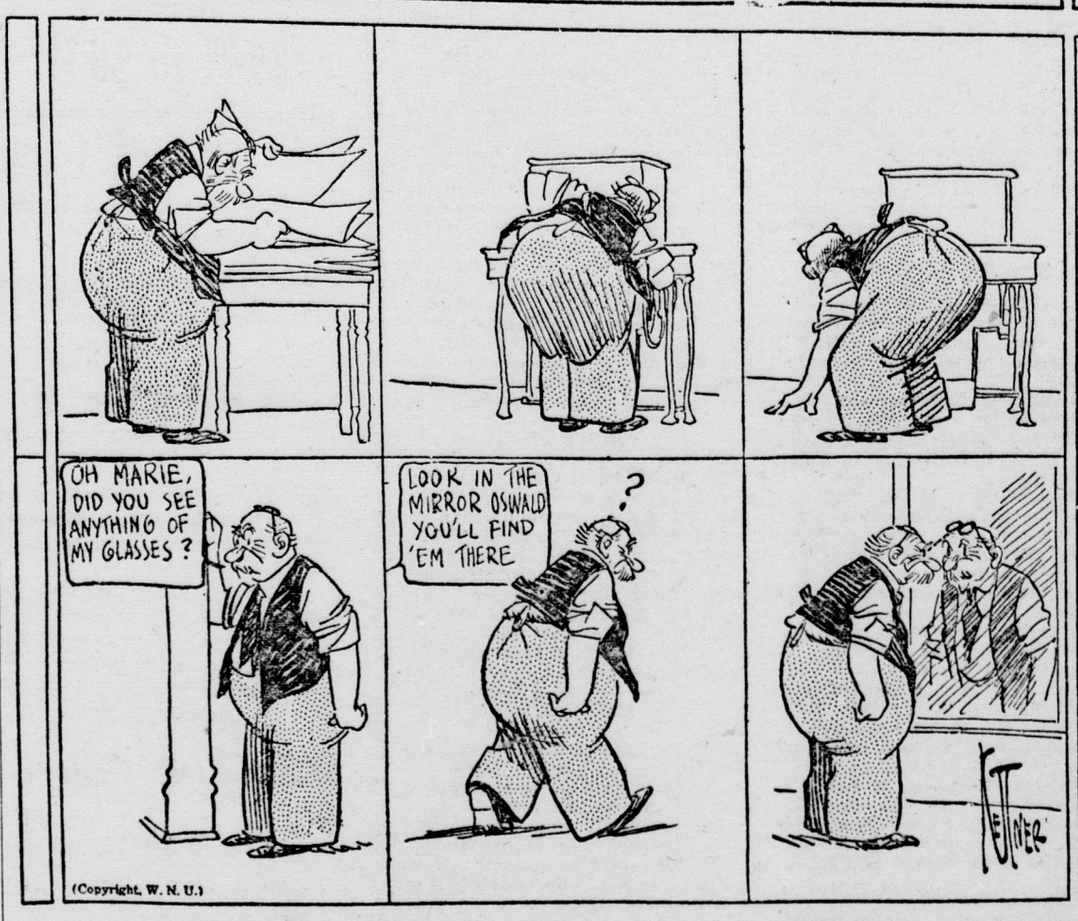

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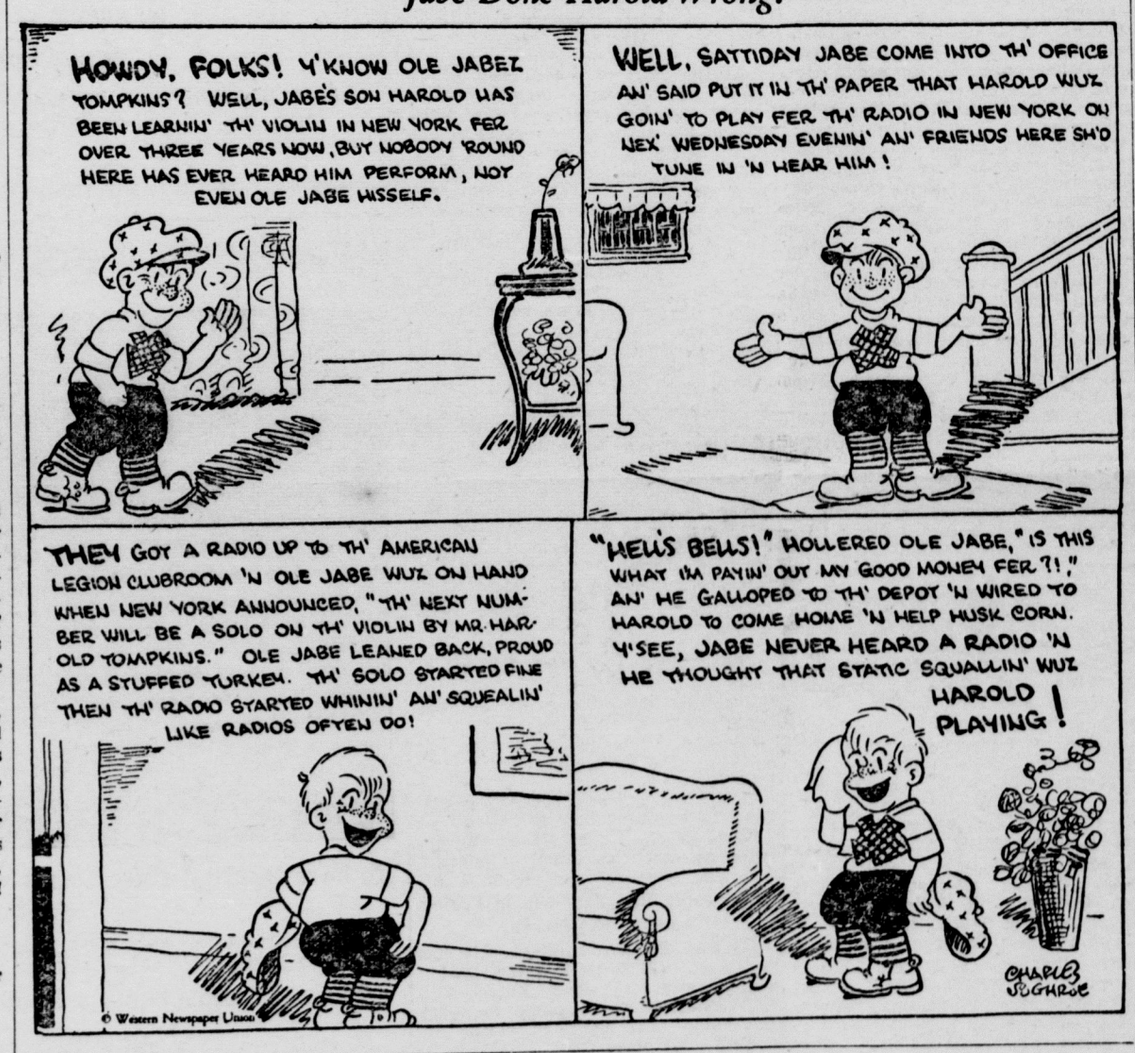

What's Wrong Here?

Internal cleanliness protects against disease

IT is but a step from those immediate results of constipation—headache, heaviness, loss of appetite—to serious disease. Such minor ailments are a warning that poisons from food waste are flooding your body. Keep clean internally.

In constipation, say intestinal specialists, lies the primary cause of more than three-quarters of all illness including the gravest diseases of life.

Your bath goes only skin-deep.

Laxatives Aggravate Constipation

Laxatives and cathartics do not overcome constipation, says a noted authority, but by their continued use tend only to aggravate the condition and often lead to permanent injury.

Medical science, through knowledge of the intestinal tract gained by X-ray observation, has found at last in *lubrication* a means of overcoming constipation. The gentle lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage out of the body. Thus Nujol brings internal cleanliness.

Nujol is not a laxative and cannot gripe. Nujol is used in leading hospitals and is prescribed by physicians throughout the world.

Don't give disease a start. Adopt this habit of internal cleanliness. Nujol is not a medicine. Like pure water, it is harmless. Take Nujol as regularly as you brush your teeth or wash your face. For sale by all druggists.

Nujol

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For Internal Cleanliness

Friend Husband's Fault.

Ida and Rose called on me soon after I was married. When my husband got home he did not see them.

He sat down in the next room to read the paper and called out to me: "I saw Ida and Rose today and they said they would call on us, but I hope they don't. I wish you could have seen the powder and paint they had on."—Chicago Tribune.

Aspirin

Say "Bayer" and Insist!

BAYER

Genuine

Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer product prescribed by physicians over twenty-two years and proved safe by millions for

Colds	Headache
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Accept "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" only. Each unbroken package contains proper directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Advertisement.

But It's a Fact.

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A Safe and Sure Laxative— Brandreth Pills. One or two taken at bed time will keep you in good condition. Entirely vegetable.—Adv.

That's Easy.

Fair Friend (as band strikes up a waltz)—What's that out of?

Distinguished Musician—Tune!

Burning Skin Diseases quickly relieved and healed by Cole's Carbolisalve. Leaves no scars. No medicine chest complete without it. 30c and 60c at druggists, or J. W. Cole Co., 127 S. Euclid Ave., Oak Park, Ill.—Adv.

A "Biting" Retort.

"I like cheerfulness. I admire anyone who sings at his work."

"How you must love a mosquito."

Observant.

"She was married in the same church where three ceremonies had been previously performed for her?"

"Yes."

"A familiar environment, eh?"

"Quite. She even noticed that a tear in the altar carpet hadn't been mended since her last trip."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

A Standard External Remedy of known value—safe and effective. It's "Allcock's"—the original and genuine porous plaster.—Adv.

Noble of Him.

Jim—I hear Tom got the Carnegie medal with special mention for saving a person from drowning.

Jam—Yes? Why the special mention?

Jim—The person was his wife.—Penn State Froth.

If Worms or Tapeworm persist in your system, use the real vermifuge, Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot." Only 50 cents at your druggist or 372 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

Girls and Dolls.

Give a little girl one doll and she develops affection; give her ten and she becomes almost entirely administrative.

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Take your choice and suit your taste. S-B—or Menthol flavor. A sure relief for coughs, colds and hoarseness. Put one in your mouth at bedtime. *Always keep a box on hand.*

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Gene Lippi is confined to her home by illness.

For Sale—Roller top desk; bargain. Apply at Enterprise office. tf

Mrs. T. V. Barton arrived this week to stay at the Martin home.

Mrs. J. Eikerenkotter has been ill in bed several days this week.

W. E. McGrath spent Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Alice McGrath.

Jack Peck was at home Armistice Day from his school in San Francisco.

Edward J. Madigan spent several days last week visiting at Monterey.

The Euchre Club will meet Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Holston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oliver spent the week-end visiting relatives at San Jose.

Mrs. John Carter of Dixon visited her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Sullivan, last week.

Fred Cairns Jr. of San Francisco spent Monday visiting friends in town.

James Carmody and his two young sons attended the races at Tanforan Monday.

Mrs. R. Grumelli of Pittsburg is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Castro.

Miss Ruth Snyder was home over the week-end from the University of California.

Richard Fox of Willows was a visitor this week at the home of his son, W. A. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Patchell of Morgan Hill were in town on business Wednesday.

Miss Sophie Bauman of San Francisco spent the week-end visiting Mrs. E. J. Madigan.

Mrs. N. P. Weeks of San Rafael spent Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Alice McGrath.

Norma Jean Price, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Price, is ill with measles.

Miss Sarah May Doak spent Armistice Day with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Doak.

Mrs. F. J. Sornberger returned Monday to the home of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Peck.

A. Giorgi & Co., 312 Baden avenue, agents for Thor Washing Machine; prices reasonable. 4t

Miss Harriet Gardner spent last week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis at Crockett.

A. P. Scott spent the week-end with several San Francisco friends hunting at Maxwell, Calif.

The sewing circle of St. Paul's M. E. Church met Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. A. P. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Boyle entertained at dinner Monday Messrs. Henry Smith and Carl Mehring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Potts of Redwood City spent several days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Potts.

Mrs. Dorn is recovering after having her tonsils removed last week at the South San Francisco Hospital.

A successful card reader will tell your fortune. Inquire 711 Olive avenue or phone South City 122-L2. 1

Mrs. Ray Huckell of Oakland is visiting today (Thursday) at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Holbrook.

Saws filed, knives sharpened, furniture repaired at the second-hand store. J. H. Bean, 310 Linden Ave. 4t

For Rent—Cottage furnished for housekeeping, suitable for one or two men. Inquire at Enterprise office. 2t

Mrs. Jennie Hetzler of Oakland spent several days this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Coffinberry.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ebey and son, Edgar, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holbrook Sunday.

For Rent—Nicely furnished room for $2.50 per week. Inquire at 711 Olive avenue or phone So. S. F. 122-L2. 2t

Mrs. A. Hynding attended a mah jong party Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Nathan Graves in Redwood City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Dean and son, Milton, of San Francisco were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. McColm.

For Sale—Four-room, new, modern house, near factories; small payment down, balance like rent. Address Box 147, So. S. F. tf

Dave Farrell is planning to leave soon for Los Angeles to make his home. Mrs. Farrell has been south for several weeks.

Lost—On vacant lot at the corner of Miller and Cypress avenues, an automatic pistol. Reward if returned to Enterprise office. tf

W. Ottenfield anounces that he will continue his pastry business, both wholesale and retail, at his residence at 421 Linden avenue.

J. E. Sullivan is confined to his home from having run a nail in his foot at the Western Meat plant Wednesday of last week.

E. A. Collins of Sunnyvale, father of Mrs. William Ely, is slowly recovering from injuries received several weeks ago in an accident.

Mrs. W. Waelty substituted at the local grammar school several days this week for Mrs. Ramsie, who is ill at her home in Berkeley.

Mrs. William Ely and sons, George and William Jr., and Clarence Collins spent Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Collins at Sunnyvale.

A monthly whist party of Angela Institute No. 90, Young Ladies' Institute, will take place next Tuesday evening at St. Bruno's parish hall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Baldwin and children and Miss Stella Ely of San Mateo spent Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ely.

Mrs. C. Louis Dunklee of Wise River, Mont., is visiting relatives in Providence, R. I. Mrs. Dunklee was formerly Miss Viola Hein of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Knock and three children have moved into the Patchell house on Miller avenue. Mr. Knock is employed at the W. P. Fuller plant.

Misses Helen and Frances Reichel, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reichel, danced for the American Legion at Redwood City Saturday evening.

Mrs. O. Bohm of Mountain View, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Edward Farrell, spent last week visiting at the Farrell home on Commercial avenue.

Lost—October 26th, between S. P. depot and Miller avenue, gold breastpin with four pearls and one garnet stone. Reward if returned to Enterprise office. 2t

On Sunday Mrs. C. W. King and Louise Sassmann attended the birthday party of Miss Georgina Ebner of San Francisco given by her mother, Mrs. Frank Ebner.

Waldo Waelty Jr., young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Waelty, is expected home Sunday from a two weeks' visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Waelty of Santa Clara.

The name of Mrs. F. S. Dolley of this city appears in the list of the sponsors for the 1923-24 season of the Peninsula Choral Society announced in San Mateo this week.

It costs you nothing to make inquiries and you will be agreeably surprised at some of the buys we have to offer in houses and lots. William Maurer, the home realtor, San Bruno, Calif.

Ray Burge, formerly of this city but for some months past of Fresno, expects to be transferred to the bay region about January 1st. Mr. Burge is in the employ of the Associated Oil Company.

Messrs. V. Boido and B. Damele, proprietors of the South San Francisco Bakery, are now the proud owners of two new Dodge delivery trucks, purchased through F. M. Terribilini, local agent.

Wanted—Two young men with fair education to learn wire testing, married men preferred; good chance for advancement when familiar with work. Apply E. H. Edwards Co., So. San Francisco. tf

Mrs. E. P. Kauffmann and Mrs. C. W. King were guests at Masonic Temple, San Francisco, Wednesday. The luncheon was given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of San Francisco Commandery, Knights Templar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burge returned to their home in Fresno Monday after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Waelty. Mrs. Burge spent two weeks at the Waelty home, Mr. Burge arriving last Thursday.

The local Woman's Club has been assigned 110 Christmas stockings for the men at the base hospital. Any person wishing to help fill the stockings can obtain one or more at the next meeting of the club.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Beall, Judge and Mrs. J. G. Walker and Mrs. Marie Boggess motored to Los Gatos Monday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Wills. Mrs. Wills is a daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Beall.

Deputy Sheriff P. J. Larrecou, brother of J. Larrecou of this city, who was operated on at the Mills Memorial Hospital in San Mateo last Friday, is rapidly recovering at the home of his mother in Menlo Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Woodman, Mr. and Mrs. William Ely and Grace Steele attended a birthday party given in honor of Fred Beltramo, brother of Mrs. Woodman, at N. D. Hall, San Bruno, Saturday evening.

Ruth Chapter, O. E. S., held a "Matron and Patron's Night" at the lodge rooms Monday evening. Officers for the coming year were elected during the evening, refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was spent.

At the Whist Club meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Dolley, Mrs. E. C. Peck won first prize, a card table; Mrs. E. P. Kauffmann won a mayonnaise set, the second prize, while E. C. Peck won the third prize, a handkerchief.

Miss Emilia Da Prato was soloist on the program of the County Federation of Woman's Clubs Wednesday. The meeting was held at the Woman's Club building at Burlingame and presided over by Mrs. J. G. Wales, president of the San Francisco federation. Christmas stockings to be filled for the men at the base hospital were distributed to the different clubs represented.

W. D. Gray, Batesville, Ark., writes as follows:

"I purchased several cakes of RAT-SNAP from Erwin-Craig Hardware Company, this place, and find same the most effective exterminator of mice and rats I have ever used. As far as I have noted, there is no odor connected with use of RAT-SNAP. This is the first testimonial I have ever given for any preparation of any kind. I feel after using your RAT-SNAP it is worthy of commendation." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, and $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Carmody's and Peninsula Drug Store.

Blue and White

A. H. McGOVERN, Editor

110s-120s AGAIN VICTORIOUS

Last Friday the 110- and 120-pound basket-ball teams from Campbell came to play us, and returned home rather crestfallen. Both teams were defeated, the 110s from South City winning 26-8 and the 120s 28-4. Both games were walkaways for us. Campbell could do nothing with our five-man defense and was unable to get many shots while our forwards were piling up a formidable lead. Both our teams have won three games to date, and all by overwhelming scores. If the 120-pound team defeats San Mateo Wednesday they will probably return home with the coveted championship. The 110-pound team has been defeated by Redwood. The score was 10-9, but if the 110s win the next two games and Redwood loses one, the two teams will be tied for championship honors.

HOCKEY

The girls' hockey team has won every game played. Wednesday they play San Mateo, and if they are victorious they return with the championship. San Mateo has defeated Redwood, 12-1, while our girls beat Redwood, 8-0. Comparing scores, San Mateo has the edge, but we have defeated San Jose, who in turn has beaten San Mateo, so our girls feel confident of victory.

FRESHMEN

The freshmen classes have combined and established a home rule committee. The purpose of this committee is to keep the room in order. It is to report all pupils who disobey the class rules, and these students will be dealt with accordingly. These classes have also appointed a clean-up committee, to see that no pupil throws paper, etc., around the room. These two committees have their work cut out for them, and we all wish them good luck.

ORCHESTRA

At the start of the present school term an orchestra was organized under the supervision of Mr. Reed. There are about fifteen musical students in the school who report regularly every morning at 8 o'clock for practice. The orchestra is progressing very satisfactorily, largely due to Mr. Reed's efforts.

CIRCUS

Day by day in every way it's getting closer and closer. Only a little over two weeks now and the circus will be with us. Each class has chosen the concession it will present and all are hard at work. The tickets will be on sale in a few days and the students intend to scour the city. Several door prizes are to be given.

Mrs. E. C. Peck, president of the local Woman's Club, addressed the recently organized Girls' League of the high school last week, congratulating the girls on the high aims of their organization and assuring them of the support of thet Woman's Club.

"PUTTING UP" THE HOUSE

The bills had come in for building the young couple's home.

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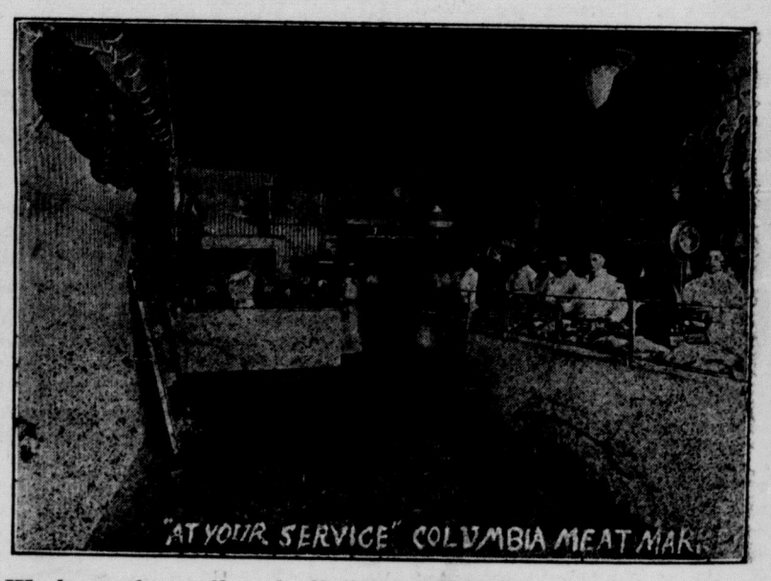

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